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CHURCH OF ENGLAND NAMES FIRST FEMALE ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY

The Church of England on Friday named Sarah Mullally as the next Archbishop of Canterbury, the first woman to hold the 1,400-year-old office

TO LEAD 85 MN ANGLICANS IN 165 COUNTRIES

As the principal leader of the Church of England, Mullally, 63, will now lead 85 million Anglicans across 165 countries. She will replace Justin Welby, who resigned last year over a child abuse cover-up scandal. Mullally is a former cancer nurse who worked as the UK government's Chief Nursing Officer for England in the early 2000s. She became a priest in 2006 | P12

TO OFFICIALLY TAKE CHARGE IN MARCH 2026

- Mullally will be known as Archbishop of Canterbury-designate till she is confirmed in January 2026 and officially takes charge in March
- She may face opposition from conservative churches in Africa and Asia, which rejected the reforms introduced a decade ago that made it possible for a woman to become the Archbishop of Canterbury

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WHEN MULLALLY WAS APPOINTED THE FIRST WOMAN BISHOP OF LONDON

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MANDAR PARDIKAR

THAYIL JACOB SONY GEORGE
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TJS, THAT LEGEND DOWN THE CORRIDOR

THERE are journalists, and then there are journalists who get that rare prefix, 'legendary'. TJS George belonged to this second order, an endangered tribe these days. Its list of card-holding members got rarer still when the man passed away today, at age 97.

Behind him trails a career in letters that has spanned about as long as the life of the Indian republic, and as varied. From his erudition in Carnatic music that birthed a book on MS Subbulakshmi, and others on VK Krishna Menon as well as Nargis, it also contained landmarks in good old-fashioned print journalism, such as being the founding editor of *Asiaweek* in Hong Kong back in the 1970s—an act of pan-Asia ecumenism that would have resonated well today.

That such an eminence was a living presence in the offices of *The New Indian Express* till the other day was a matter of honour and delight equally for all of us here. It was only in June 2022 that he laid his pen to rest after writing his last column, the Sunday Point of View, in his inimitable, no-holds-barred style—sharp, ironic, fearless. Over 25 years, he contributed 1,300 columns for these pages.

SANTWANA BHATTACHARYA
EDITOR

Politicians, judges and powerful people feared and respected his pen, and treaded carefully around him. He was famously unpredictable. In our Bangalore office, when a VVIP dropped by wanting to meet him, we would exchange nervous glances. If it was his column-writing hour—always longhand, pen on paper—he would refuse to meet them, however important they might be.

Siddaramaiah, the current chief minister, had a taste of that brusqueness when TJS admonished him in a humorous, schoolmasterly way on one such visit—for wasting time in a newspaper office instead of working among the people! No one took offence. Once at a function in Mysore, SM Krishna, then External Affairs Minister, vacated his seat for TJS when he saw him standing, but characteristically he refused.

Such was the awe he inspired among Union ministers, high court judges, chief ministers. Even when his columns were scathing, the powerful usually held their peace—it was only their sycophants who protested. He had opinions, he took stands, and never wavered, even when it led to sedition charges in earlier years. The only man he openly admired was our founder, Ramnath Goenka.

"I have no god," he would often say. A non-believer, or rather a believer only in humanity, and in journalism as a calling. He taught generations of journalists the importance of precision in language, and of calling a spade a spade. Outside the newsroom, George had deep interests in cities and food. He was fascinated by urban planning—often comparing the systematic grid of New York, where he and his beloved wife Ammu lived during his UN years, with the chaos of Bangalore's house numbering. In his last few years, he spent his winters in Coimbatore, leaving the chaos of Bangalore behind him, to "best idlis, dosas and coffee". P2, P9

Stern Army, IAF warning to Pak

India won't show restraint next time, says Army Chief; Pak lost 12-13 aircraft during Operation Sindoor

This time we will take a step forward and act in a manner that will make Pakistan think whether it wants to remain on the world map or not

— Army Chief Gen Upendra Dwivedi

We have clear evidence of one long-range strike with over 300 kms range hitting an AEW&C or SigNit aircraft, along with five hi-tech fighters - F-16 and JF-17

Air Chief A P Singh

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

TWO service chiefs on Friday used strong language to put Pakistan on notice, a day after Union defence minister Rajnath Singh said any misadventure from across the border in the Sir Creek sector will invite a decisive response.

Addressing soldiers in Rajasthan, Army chief General Upendra Dwivedi said Pakistan should stop sponsoring terrorism on its soil if it wants to retain its place on world map.

"India practised restraint during Operation Sindoor 1.0, but this time we won't. This time we will take a step forward and act in a manner that will make Pakistan think whether it wants to remain on world map or not," he warned.

In Delhi, Air Chief Marshal AP Singh told the media ahead of the annual Air Force Day that the IAF destroyed around 12-13 aircraft during the Operation Sindoor, which included Chinese-made JF17s and F-16s procured from the US. He described Islamabad's claim of India's losses as fanciful stories (*Manohar Kahaniyan*).

Recalling the widespread destruction of Pakistani military assets both in the air and on the ground during Operation Sindoor in May, he said, "radars at least in four places, command

and control centres at two places, runways damaged at two places, three of their hangars in three different stations damaged... we have signs of one C-130 class of aircraft and at least 4-5 fighter aircraft (in one strike), most likely F-16s, because that place happened to be F-16 base with whatever was under maintenance at that time."

Besides, one SAM (Surface to Air Missile) system was destroyed in Pakistan. "We have clear evidence of one long-range strike of more than 300 km, which happened to be either an AEW&C (Airborne Early Warning and Control System) or a SigNit aircraft. Along with that five hi-tech fighters between F-16 and JF 17 class (were shot down)—this is what our system tells us," the Air Chief said.

He refused to reveal India's losses during Op Sindoor. "Let them find out," he said.

India flags PoK rights violation amid unrest

JAYANTH JACOB @ New Delhi

REACTING strongly to the ongoing unrest in Pakistan-occupied Kashmir (PoK), India on Thursday called on the international community to hold Pakistan accountable for its "horrific human rights violations" and systemic exploitation of the region under its illegal occupation.

Randhir Jaiswal

External Affairs Ministry spokesperson Randhir Jaiswal condemned the Pakistani military's brutal crackdown on protesters across multiple areas of PoK. "We have seen reports on protests in several areas of Pakistan-occupied Jammu & Kashmir, including brutalities by Pakistani forces on innocent civilians. We believe this is a natural consequence of Pakistan's oppressive approach and systemic plundering of resources from these territories," Jaiswal said.

"Pakistan must be held accountable for its horrific human rights violations," he said.

For over a week now, large-scale protests led by the Awami Action Committee (AAC) have swept across PoK, with Rawalakot, Mirpur, Kotli and Neelum Valley among the worst-hit. The region has witnessed a complete shutdown, with businesses closed and transport services paralysed in what has been described as the largest civil uprising in PoK in recent years.

The AAC has accused the Shehbaz Sharif government of denying fundamental rights to the people of the region, demanding an end to what it calls institutional discrimination. The protests have also raised calls for the abolition of 12 reserved seats in the PoK legislative assembly allocated to Kashmiri refugees living in Pakistan—seen by many as a tool to manipulate regional politics.

The situation is volatile, with reports confirming at least 10 protest-related deaths and a near-total suspension of internet and mobile services to suppress the unrest.

15-DAY EXERCISE

Socio-Economic Survey to begin today in Bengaluru

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THE Karnataka Socio-Economic and Educational Survey will commence in Bengaluru on Saturday, and has to be completed in 15 days. Each surveyor will have to spend 20 minutes at a house collecting data, and by 4 pm daily, will have to assemble at a mustering point to apprise the details to higher officials and store the collected data at the point, across five municipal corporations. To monitor and supervise the exercise, the GBA has appointed revenue officers and KAS officers as nodal officers.

The second phase of training of surveyors concluded on Friday. As part of the final training session for over 300 surveyors at Town Hall, enumerators were given information about the website, uploading data, and conducting house-to-house data collection.

"There were issues with ward selection, as well as some confusion about using the app. Some of us are even facing logging issues due to a server problem. All this impacted the survey training. Amid these challenges, the survey will commence on Saturday. We hope our hardwork is recognised, and we will appeal to the public to cooperate and give details," said a surveyor.

"Each enumerator will have to cover 300 homes in 15 days. In case they are absent without any valid reason, they will face action," said an official.

Meanwhile, GBA Chief Commissioner M Maheshwar Rao, addressing a virtual meeting, said the surveyors assigned by various departments to conduct the survey have been trained twice in the respective municipal corporations, and have been instructed to expedite the survey work. P2

ORANGE SKY

People watch a fire burn at a Chevron refinery in El Segundo, California. A big explosion around 10 pm local time on Thursday produced a large orange blaze that could be seen from miles away | AFP

EXPRESS READ

Trump wants Hamas to agree to deal by Sunday

DEIR AL-BALAH (GAZA STRIP): US President Donald Trump said on Friday that Hamas must agree to a proposed peace deal by Sunday evening, threatening an even greater military onslaught nearly two years into the war sparked by the October 7 attack into Israel. Meanwhile, his peace plan has been accepted by Israel, and welcomed internationally | P12

JDS will ally with BJP in local body polls: Gowda

BENGALURU: Former prime minister and JDS supremo HD Deve Gowda on Friday said his party's alliance with the BJP will continue in all future elections, including local bodies ZP/TP and the Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA), and Assembly polls in Karnataka. He asserted that nobody can shake his relationship with Prime Minister Narendra Modi | P4

US Senators question the hiring practices of TCS, nine other firms

H-1B hires

The Senators specifically asked the tech firms why they were hiring foreign workers under H-1B despite layoffs in the US tech sector

SANAL SUDEVAN @ Chennai

TWO US Senators have shot off a letter to the Tata Consultancy Services (TCS), raising concerns about its hiring practices in the US and questioning its rationale for filing thousands of H-1B visa petitions after allegedly laying off local staff.

Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Charles Grassley and ranking member Richard Durbin also questioned Cognizant, Amazon, Apple, Deloitte, Google, JPMorgan Chase, Meta, Microsoft, and Walmart, seeking details of their recruitment practices and wage parity between H-1B visa holders and American employees.

In their letter to TCS CEO Krithi Krithivasan on September 24, Grassley and Durbin flagged "troubling employment trends" in the tech sector.

"Earlier this year, the *Wall Street Journal* reported that the tech sector's unemployment rate was "well above" the overall jobless rate," read the letter addressed to Krithivasan.

Among Indian tech firms, TCS is the biggest beneficiary of H-1B visa with 5,005 approvals so far in 2025.

AND THE AWARD GOES TO...

'Doddahatti Boregowda' wins top honour in State Film Awards

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'DODDAHATTI Boregowda', directed by Raghu KM, won 'Best Film' at the Karnataka State Film Awards for 2021. The awards, which were announced on Friday — celebrating the best of Kannada cinema — also saw '777 Charlie' being adjudged the Second Best Film, while 'Bisilu Kudure' was chosen as Third Best Film. 'Bharatada Prajegalada Naavu' (We, the Citizens of India) won 'Best Film with a Social Concern', while 'Yuvarathnaa' was named 'Best Popular Entertaining Film', and 'Cake' won 'Best Children's Film'.

In the performance categories, Rakshit Shetty won 'Best Actor' for '777 Charlie', and Archana Jois was awarded

A still from *Doddahatti Boregowda*

'Best Actress' for 'Mute'. The best Supporting Actor awards - male and female - went to Pramod (Ratnan Prapancha) and Umashree (Ratnan Prapancha), respectively.

Among debut directors, 'Badava Rascal' by Shankar Guru was recognised as 'Best First Film'. 'Nada Peda Asha' (Kodava language) bagged 'Best Regional Language Film of Karnataka'.

On the writing front, Manjunath Muniyappa received 'Best Story' (9 Sullu Kathegalu), Raghu KM won 'Best Screenplay' (Doddahatti Boregowda), and Baraguru Ramachandrappa got 'Best Dialogues' (Thaayi Kasthur Gandhi).

In the technical section, Bhuvanesh Prabhu won 'Best Cinematography' (Amme Samsara – Konkani), Imtiyaz Sultan bagged 'Best Music Director' (Bisilu Kudure), and Prateek Shetty was awarded 'Best Editing' (777 Charlie). Child artistes Master Atish Shetty (Cake) and Baby Bhairavi (Bhairavi) were also honoured. P2

ALMANAC TODAY
Saturday: 04.10.2025 **Year:** Vishwavasu **Ayana:** Dakhsinayana
Ritu: Sharad **Masa:** Aswayuja **Paksha:** Sukla **Tithi:** Dwadasi 1.41 pm
Nakshatra: Dhanishta 6.49 am **Moon in** Meena Rashi **Rahukaala:** 09:00 am to 10:30am
Gulikakala: 06:00 am to 07:30 am **Yamaganda:** 01:49 pm to 03:26 pm

WEATHER MIN 20°C | MAX 27°C
FORECAST Rain showers. Overcast

Sunrise 06.09 am | Sunset 06.07 pm | Moonrise 04.05 pm | Moonset 03.15 am

PRR project moves forward with new identity, fresh features

Rebranded as 'Bengaluru Business Corridor', it will have 8-lane expressway

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THE long-stalled 74-km Peripheral Ring Road (PRR) project, pending for nearly two decades, is finally moving forward with a new identity and a fresh set of features. Rebranded as the 'Bengaluru Business Corridor (BBC)', the project will comprise an 8-lane expressway.

BBC Chairman LK Atheeq announced that the total Right of Way (ROW) proposed is 65 metres, of which 41 metres will be taken up by the 8-lane expressway with a 5-metre median reserved for a future Metro corridor. On either side, there will be two service roads of 9 metres each (designed as two lanes-plus-one lane for cycling), along with 3-metre pavements.

Pic for representation

Highlighting the land acquisition hurdles, which delayed the project for years, Atheeq stated that it would now be addressed with five options for landowners. The five options include cash compensation, Transferable Development Rights (TDR), enhanced Floor Area Ratio (FAR), developed land in residential layouts, or commercial land along the corridor. Special Land Acquisition Officers (SLAOs) have been directed to collect landowners' preferences and finalise awards.

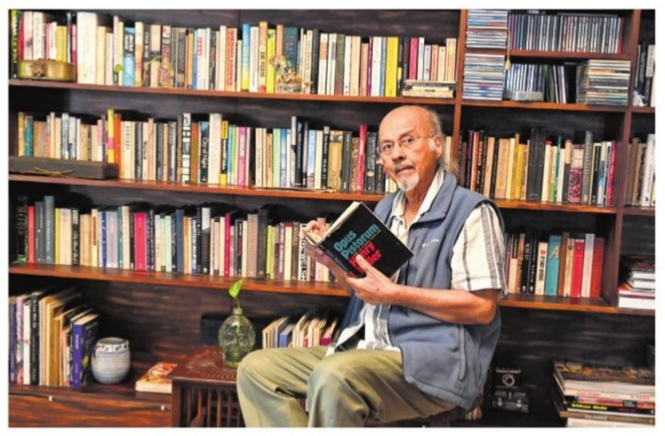
The alignment begins in the west at Bangalore International Exhibition Centre (BIEC) on Tumakuru Road (NH-4), travels through Ballari Road beyond Yelahanka, and then connects to Old Madras Road and Electronics City, to finally join the NICE Road at Hosur Road junction, integrating both northwest and northeast Bengaluru into the growth corridor.

Each side of the expressway will include a 9-metre service road with a 1-metre pavement, cycle track, and utility ducts, enhancing last-mile connectivity. The BBC will also integrate seamlessly with NICE Road at Electronics City and Madavara (BIEC), with a spur road planned towards Major Arterial Road (MAR) for potential integration with PRR-2.

The proposals and changes made with the project are awaiting the state government's final approval. Once cleared, the project that was long seen as critical to easing Bengaluru's traffic gridlock will finally take off after decades of uncertainty.

TRIBUTES POUR IN

'HIS FEARLESS INTELLECT SHAPED PUBLIC DISCOURSE'



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SENIOR dignitaries, ministers and leaders cutting across party lines condoled the death of veteran journalist, columnist and author TJS George.

Union minister and former CM HD Kumaraswamy stated: "Having held many important positions, including editor, editorial director and editorial adviser of national and international newspapers, he was truly a treasure trove of experience. I closely followed his 'Point of View' column in The New Indian Express. I was captivated by his writing talent after reading his work 'MS – A Life in Music', based on the life of music queen, Smt MS Subbulakshmi."

Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar expressed deep sorrow over the passing of the veteran journalist. "TJS George was a towering figure in Indian journalism, whose fearless intellect and literary brilliance shaped public discourse over the last six decades. He was not just a journalist but a truth seeker, a conscience keeper, and chronicler of our times," the DCM said in a press statement. "His contributions to journalism were pioneering, and his columns marked by clarity, courage and socio-cultural insights. His writing style seamlessly blended journalistic rigour and literary elegance... His biographies of MS Subbulakshmi, Nargis, and others are well known. His book 'Askew' beautifully chronicled Bengaluru in the backdrop of bygone years, bringing out the deep nuances of our city. I offer my condolences to his family personally and on behalf of the government of Karnataka," he said.

Former CM and MP Basavaraj Bommai stated that the field of journalism has lost a senior mentor and guide, "TJS George, through his long-standing service in the Indian media, created a distinct mark for himself. As a columnist, he consistently analysed political events, keeping the political system alert and informed. For nearly 25 years, as a columnist, he raised his voice against social inequality and corruption through his writings. His passing represents a significant loss to Indian journalism."

BJP State President BY Vijayendra stated, "Deeply saddened by the passing of Padma Bhushan TJS George, a towering voice in Indian journalism. His incisive columns and fearless critique have enriched our public discourse."

Senior Congress leader Shashi Tharoor said George was a true giant of Indian journalism, his sharp wit and powerful 'Point of View' columns will be deeply missed. "His contributions to literature and fearless commentary leave an indelible mark. His books, including a memorable Treasury of Indian Quotations, will live long," he said.

Saddened by the passing of veteran journalist, editor & author T J S George. With his sharp pen and uncompromising voice, he enriched Indian journalism for over six decades. He was a true public intellectual who made readers think, question and engage. My heartfelt condolences to his family, colleagues and countless admirers domesticity

- Chief Minister Siddaramaiah

I held great regard for TJS. One day, when the then editor of *The New Indian Express* R Shankar told me that TJS had appreciated a write-up by me, published that week in *TNIE*, I was literally floating in the air the entire day! His column 'Point of View' in *TNIE* was something everybody looked forward to, including bigwigs like SM Krishna and J Jayalalithaa. An incident I remember clearly is when he had written about Bengaluru, and Jayalalithaa, who happened to be here that day, liked his column so much that she wrote a highly appreciating letter to him. The last time I met him was at the Press Club elections a few years ago, and we had a good time joking. I was keen about translating his book on MS, but by the time I asked him somebody else had obtained the permission, and he said, "you must be quick Prathibha". With his passing on, an era of "star" journalists has come to an end. Very sad.

- Prathibha Nandakumar, writer and journalist

TJS George was a trailblazing journalist, known for his fearless pursuit of truth and his unwavering commitment to professional ethics. He defined the profession and always encouraged young journalists. He was perhaps the last few of India's legacy of true and bold journalists.

- Ayesha Khanum, Chairperson, Karnataka Media Academy

'I lost a great guru who guided my literary journey'

Renowned author and Rajya Sabha member Sudha Murty expressed deep sorrow at the demise of veteran journalist and writer TJS George, recalling his pivotal role in shaping her literary journey. "I'm extremely sad to know the demise of TJS George. I owe a lot to him," she said. "I was a Kannada writer, and one day he called me and told me, you should write in English. He told me, you are a storyteller, language is a vehicle." Sudha noted that George's encouragement pushed her to write in English. "I started writing in English. First in *The New Indian Express*, and later in other papers. Ultimately, I wrote my first book 'Wise and Otherwise', for which he wrote the Foreword. That's the only book I have with a Foreword, and that's by TJS George." She added: "I dedicated a book to him, 'Three Thousand Stitches', and he did come for the book release function... I feel very sorry that I lost a great guru, who guided me in my literary journey. The loss is great, but I only pray, may his soul rest in peace."

'Rakshit went out of comfort zone for *777 Charlie*'

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OTHER winners included Ravi Santehaklu (Best Art Direction – Bhajarangi 2), Nagarjuna Sharma (Best Lyricist – "Madilinalli Kadalinashtu Harigiliddaru..." from 777 Charlie), Aneesh Keshava Rao (Best Male Playback Singer – Sri Jagannatha Dasaru), and Sahana M Bharadwaj (Best Female Playback Singer – Dandi).

The jury special awards went to 'Bhairavi', Yogi G Raj (Costume Design - Bhajarangi 2), and Shivakumar (Make-up for Thaayi Kasthur Gandhi). The Best Production Manager award was given to Shivakumar S (Shivarjuna) for 'Pogaru'.

Kiranraj K, director of 777 Charlie, said, "777 Charlie winning four State Awards — Best Actor, Best Editing, Best Lyricist and Best Film — feels very special. I am especially happy that the hardwork of Rakshit, our editor, and our lyricist have been recognised. Honestly, I had expected Rakshit to win Best Actor at the National level too. He trained for almost a year with the dog and gave nearly 70 takes patiently to match Charlie's comfort. He even went through discomfort, like applying fish oil on his face or holding biscuits, just to get Charlie's attention. He stepped out of his comfort zone completely for this role, and that is why this recognition means so much to us."

Actress Archana Jois said, "My role in the film 'Mute' explores the relationship between a human and a dog. I play a divorced woman, and the story shows how her life changes when a dog comes into it, how she grows emotionally, and begins to heal... Receiving this State Award for the first time feels very special."

Edu a weapon to change world: Guv

ENS @ Bengaluru

"WE are noticing positive growth in women's education. Earlier, in some areas, female student ratio was around 50%. Today, in certain disciplines, it has risen to 70-75%, which is encouraging. However, family and social barriers still cause disruptive effects in their education," said Higher Education Minister Dr MC Sudhakar.

Speaking at the second and third convocations of Maharani Cluster University at Jnana Jyothi Auditorium on the Bengaluru City University campus on Friday, he added, "The state government, through some policies, are extending assistance schemes for girl students."

Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot stressed that education is the most powerful weapon to change the world, and when women are empowered through it, it lays the foundation for a progressive society and a strong nation. In the 2023-24 academic year, 1,346 students received undergraduate degrees, while 481 received postgraduate degrees. At the UG level, 28 students secured ranks and six gold medals, while in PG, 23 ranks and 18 gold medals were awarded. In the 2024-25 academic year, 1,209 students received UG degrees and 537 received PG degrees. At the UG level, 30 ranks and 10 gold medals were awarded, while at the PG level, 26 ranks and 18 gold medals were presented.

Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot and Higher Education Minister Dr MC Sudhakar confer honorary doctorates on Biocon Founder Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw and actor Bharathi Vishnuvardhan in Bengaluru on Friday| NAGARAJA GADEKAL

Honorary doctorates

The university also conferred honorary doctorates on six eminent personalities: veteran actor Bharathi Vishnuvardhan, Biocon Limited Founder Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw, former cricketer Veda Krishnamurthy, feminist writer Du Saraswati, homeopathy doctor Dr BT Rudresh, and educationist HN Usha.

Aga Sultan, who was appointed as Chairman, Central Relief Committee, Government of Karnataka, takes charge in Bengaluru on Thursday, as Shri Shivarudra Swamiji of Belimutt, Fr Denzil Lobo of St Joseph's University, Moulana Maqsood Imran of Jamia Masjid, Bengaluru, and Moulana Shayer Ali, among others look on | EXPRESS

Final round of seat allotment for various courses

BENGALURU: The KEA has opened option entry for the final round of seat allotment for BSc Nursing, BPharm, and Pharm-D courses. Eligible candidates must submit their preferences in order of priority by 11 am on October 6. The final round will consider the additional seats introduced for BSc Nursing, unfilled / cancelled seats, and newly added seats in BPharm and Pharm-D courses. Both government colleges and private college 'G' category seats are included. Candidates who have not yet participated in seat allotment must pay a Rs-10,000 cash deposit. **ENS**

34 KAS officers to ensure smooth conduct of survey

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THE GBA chief commissioner directed additional commissioners, joint commissioners, and deputy commissioners to actively participate. "The government has issued orders appointing a senior KAS officer as nodal officer for each Assembly constituency. Accordingly, 34 KAS officers are will ensure smooth conduct of the survey and maintain coordination between the surveyors and the government. One Group-A officer has been appointed as ward supervisor for each ward, and will oversee the entire survey of that ward. Similarly, deployment of one surveyor for 300 houses each has been decided and a deputy supervisor has been appointed to supervise the work of every 15-20 surveyors," he added.

Horoscopes By Holiday

HOLIDAY MATHIS

04th October : In the Mirror of Libra Season Mirrors are a relatively new invention. For tens of thousands of years of human history, the only reflection humans knew of themselves was in water. As for animals, great apes, dolphins, elephants and magpies can recognize themselves while most animals think the one in the mirror is another creature entirely. And what about you? Who do you see in there?

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
In the art gallery of your life, you're too close to the picture, caught in the details, so close that you can only see brushstrokes, not the whole painting. Step back. Distance gives you clarity. The bigger picture comes into focus.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 - May 20)
While the whirring mind calculates the benefits and detriments as seen in one moment by one person, the heart connects with a larger picture and comes up with answers to serve the collective. Keep following.

GEMINI (May 21 - June 21)
Your brand of openness is what people need most right now, more than clever phrasing or polished responses. Your sincerity is the message, and it carries farther than any perfect wording could.

CANCER (June 22 - July 22)
You know what you want, and now you'll blend those wishes with ways that others can join in. The best plan will be flexible and inclusive. You'll end up with something more beautiful and sustainable than the original vision.

LEO (July 23 - Aug. 22)
We give the world stories that are often quite different from the objective reality of a situation, but that doesn't necessarily make them untrue. Your feelings, perceptions and subjective reality matter, too. The performance of life is part of life, too.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)
Yes, you're the sovereign of details. But occasionally, your mind could use a break from the vigilance. Blow out the picture until it all goes a little fuzzy and let that be the beauty you live in.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 - Oct. 23)
Sometimes you really do have to find your way through a situation, but today, it's more like you're remembering as though you've done it already. With your interesting lens and creativity unbound, you'll solve problems that vex others.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 21)
Not all pressure stresses you out. Today's brand is exhilarating. It's just the sort of challenge that opens deeper resources. The energy, creativity, optimism and talent are all inside you, just waiting for activation.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 - Dec. 21)
It keeps coming up for you: Doubt, when balanced with reflection, is part of wisdom. Unwavering confidence is a red flag signaling ego inflation. Fluctuations in self-concept are not signs of weakness, but of awareness.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 - Jan. 19)
Acceptance is your foundation. Everything good builds on the bedrock of acceptance. From there, you will create solutions, systems or even beauty (SET ITAL) around (END ITAL) the reality, instead of exhausting yourself by resisting the truth of (SET ITAL) what is. (END ITAL)

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 - Feb. 18)
You're like a child today in that you can spot a phony from a mile away. It's just a hunch, but hunches are often the aggregate of a hundred subtle hints, invisible to the conscious mind. Also, the less you know about a person, the more spot-on your initial impressions will be.

PISCES (Feb. 19 - Mar 20)
Good friends give back. Excellent friends don't just give back; they cater the gift to the other person's preferences, even preferences they don't personally share. Your brand of generosity will be truly selfless and astute.

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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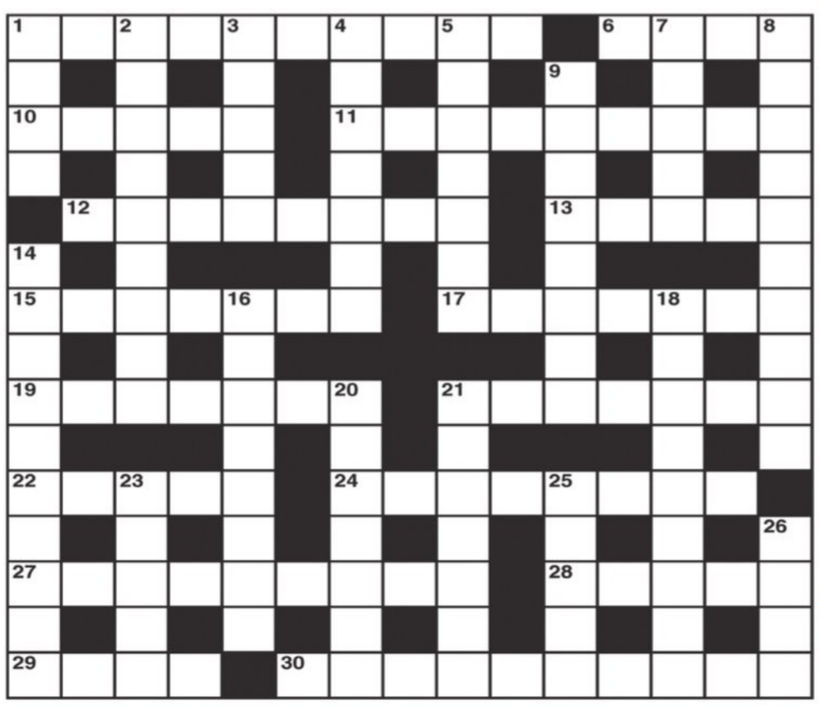

CROSS WORD

ACROSS
1 Indulgence shown towards drunk relation (10)
6 Mark gets nothing less than a film award (4)
10 French bank newly opened but bust (5)
11 Nasty moment for a poor loser (3,6)
12 Sweetheart who kept on sending Christmas presents (4,4)
13 Actress's dress ring (5)
15 It may identify the member leading the orchestra (7)
17 Is least disposed to leave the shore (3,4)
19 Needs to set points out (7)
21 Granted, it could set many free (7)
22 A number get well and live (5)
24 Getting capital support he trades in a new way (8)
27 First man to take up a craft (4,5)
28 Starring roles for ushers (5)
29 Only a fish (4)
30 Traces idea that is wrong and roots it out (10)

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1 A time for style (4)
2 Stable chaps but apparently irritable ones (9)
3 Where to do some shooting in the mountains (5)
4 It brings news that may be a bit old (7)
5 Eccentricity of uneven quality (7)
7 Voices may be raised in it (5)
8 Dramatic broadcasts (5,5)
9 Increase the number in a layer (8)
14 Potential MPs outspoken over unsettled seat (10)
16 Bet a long leaping stride is natural to it (8)
18 Satanist's new helper (9)
20 Pupil starts singing choral composition (7)
21 Modified date pad put out (7)
23 A support and comfort to many (5)
25 Memento from more licentious times (5)
26 Goddess; one's a double (4)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Witches, 5 Rider, 8 Incurious, 9 Lip, 10 Tack, 12 Triangle, 14 Farrow, 15 Scythe, 17 Amateurs, 18 Isle, 21 Own, 22 Tombstone, 24 Tapes, 25 Derided.

Down: 1 Waist, 2 Tic, 3 Hero, 4 Spoors, 5 Research, 6 Delegates, 7 Replete, 11 Curtain up, 13 Rosettes, 14 Flat out, 16 Framed, 19 Emend, 20 Tsar, 23 Old.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

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Yesterday's Jumbles: PENNY GUESS NESTLE FIXATE
Answer: After seeing how difficult the Jumble would be to solve, they had an — UNEASY FEELING

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Three people who went to swim in Achepalli Lake in Chikkaballapur drowned. The incident was reported on Friday afternoon. Chikkaballapur Superintendent of Police have identified the deceased as Vishnuvardhan (14), an 8th standard student, Nihal Raj (12) of 6th standard, and Harshavardhan (17), 1st PUC

Apathy continues: Bad road kills 2 sisters in Hoskote

The road is filled with jelly stones & potholes

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

CLOSE on the heels of the death of a 22-year-old student, Dhanushree, due to the poorly maintained road in Avalahalli police station limits, yet another similar incident was reported on Friday in the Hoskote traffic police station limits, where two sisters died.

The deceased are Shyla, 25, and her sister Shwetha, 22. Both were returning to their house at Attivatta in Hoskote from the Kaiwara temple on Friday around 1.45 pm. While riding on the Hoskote-Chintamani State Highway, the two-wheeler skidded on a road which was scattered with jelly stones, near the Shivanapura Cross. The stretch is also reportedly filled with potholes. The sisters who came under the wheels of a canter vehicle that was coming from behind died on the spot. A case has been registered against the driver.

Shyla was working as a nurse while Shwetha was a nursing student. The bodies have been handed over to the family members in the evening after the postmortem at the Hoskote Government Hospital.

Locals blamed the poorly maintained road for the incident. Despite the road work going on, no service road was made for the safety of motorists. The gravel that had been carelessly scattered on the road was the reason for the vehicles skidding. Stringent action should be taken against the concerned authorities and also the contractor to whom the work has been allotted," locals said.

It may be recalled that Dhanushree, a resident of Hoskote, fell from her scooter while trying to avoid loose gravel on a poorly maintained road near Budigere Cross on Monday morning. The truck driver, Y Jayaruddin Mandal, a resident of Mandur on the outskirts of the city and a native of West Bengal, was arrested on Wednesday.

GENTLE GIANT

A Dasara elephant relaxes on the premises of the Amba Vilas Palace a day after the Jamboo Savari in Mysuru on Friday | UDAYASHANKAR S

Woman accuses husband of sharing private videos with his friends

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru:

PUTTENAHALLI police registered a case against a married man who works as an assistant manager in a reputed IT firm, for forcing his wife to sleep with his friends who are abroad. The accused, Syed Inamul Haq, is alleged to have secretly installed a camera in the bedroom, recorded private moments with his wife and shared the videos with his friends.

The couple got married in December last year. After the wedding, the woman found out that she was Haq's second wife, and he had relationships with a number of other women.

The woman filed a complaint against Haq, accusing him of constant physical and mental torture, and multiple affairs. She also accused her in-laws of harassing her.

Speaking to the media on Friday, she stated that they got married on December 15, 2024, and it was an arranged alliance. "My husband installed cameras and recorded our private moments, and has shared them with his friends. I saw him when he was sharing our videos. There was also constant dowry harassment from him. Five months after our wedding, I was forced to move out of the house. I started staying at Vinayaka Nagar in JP Nagar from June 1, and my husband has troubled me even here. He is threatening to make the videos public if I disclose this to anyone," the complainant added.

Puttenahalli police registered a case and are on the lookout for the accused.

CRIME PATROL

Man held for killing brother, parents held for trying to destroy evidence

Bengaluru: A 30-year-old man along with his aged parents were arrested by the Cottonpet police on charges of murder and attempting to destroy evidence. While the man, identified as Shiva, was arrested on charges of killing his 28-year-old younger brother Vijay alias Kutty, the couple— Elumalai, 65, and Annapoorneshwari, 60— was arrested for admitting the victim to a hospital with false information. Vijay, who worked as a housekeeping staff in a railway station, succumbed during treatment. Shiva, an autorickshaw driver, quarrelled with his other brother over a financial matter. Vijay, who witnessed the fight, attacked Shiva. Later, when all the brothers were consuming alcohol, Shiva attacked Vijay with an iron spanner. ENS

Mother kills daughter, dies by suicide in Shivamogga

Shivamogga: A 38-year-old woman allegedly murdered her 12-year-old daughter and died by suicide at their home at the nursing quarters of McGann Teaching Hospital in Shivamogga on Friday. SP, G K Mithun Kumar said that the mother, Shruthi and Poorvika were killed here, gruesomely. The girl was hit by a sharp weapon on her head. Ramanna, husband of Shruthi, works as a lab technician at McGann Teaching District Hospital. Two cases were registered in this regard. The SP said that Ramanna was on night duty on Thursday, and when he arrived home on Friday morning, it was locked from the inside. As there was no response, with the help of neighbours, they broke the door and found the two dead. ENS

Guru Basavanna Ratha procession in city today

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Swamijies of various Mutts attend a press meet at Palace grounds in Bengaluru on Friday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

A Guru Basavanna Ratha Yatra will be held in Bengaluru on Saturday, to mobilise the Lingayat community. The procession will be led by a chariot, and followed by over 500 two-wheelers through the city streets.

The rally will begin after 7:55am when the ratha enters from Tumakuru Road, and go towards Yeshwanthpur, where it will be welcomed near the Mysuru Soap Factory. The proccession will then head into Rajajinagar, where Dr Gangaji Mataji and her disciples will perform prayers at the Basavanna statue in Basavanna Mantapa.

The ratha will continue through Basaveshwaranagar and Vijayanagar, where it will be welcomed by leaders of Basava organisations, and later through Chamarajpet and Jayanagar. The journey will culminate at Basavaveshwara Circle, where members of the Basava Samithi will hold a meeting, and bring together voices of the community.

Chandramouli N Lingayat, one of the organisers, told TNIE, "We had successful Basava Abhiyans in 30 districts and as a conclusion, we will have the Samaropa Samarambha on October 5, in which CM Siddaramaiah and other ministers will participate. The Guru Basavanna Ratha Yatra in which bike riders will participate will be the run-up to the Samaropa Samarambha." He said they held a meeting on Friday evening with Police Commissioner Seemanth Kumar Singh and senior officers to finalise a traffic plan so that no one is inconvenienced when lakhs of people reach Palace Grounds.

TASL to set up 1st pvt chopper assembly to build H125

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@ Bengaluru

TATA Advanced Systems Limited (TASL) will set up India's first private-sector helicopter Final Assembly Line to build Airbus H125 helicopters at Vemagal in Kolar district. The delivery of the helicopter is expected in early 2027. It will be available for export in the South Asian region.

The H125 is the world's best-selling single-engine helicopter that outclasses other helicopters in its category. The chopper has accumulated more than 40 million flight hours worldwide. It can be missioned for aerial work, firefighting, law enforcement, rescue, air ambulance, passenger transport, and many others. The H125 helicopter will help develop new civil and para-public market segments and also meet the Indian armed forces' requirement for a light multi-role helicopter, especially on the icy heights of the country's Himalayan frontiers. "Plans include a military version, the H125M, to be offered out of this Indian factory with high levels of indigenised components and technologies," stated Airbus and TASL in a release.

"India is an ideal helicopter country. A 'Made in India' helicopter will help develop this market and position helicopters as an essential tool for nation-building. We are extremely glad to be adding this new chapter to our multi-faceted relationship with our trusted partners Tata," said president and managing director, Airbus India and South Asia, Jürgen Westermeier.

"TASL is proud to be the first private sector company in India to build helicopters," said CEO and MD, Tata Advanced Systems Limited, Sukaran Singh.

Tata Advanced Systems' entry into helicopter manufacturing is a strategic extension of its capabilities, built on years of expertise in aerospace and defence technologies. The H125 FAL is the second Airbus aircraft assembly plant TASL is building in India, after the C295 military aircraft manufacturing facility in Vadodara, Gujarat.

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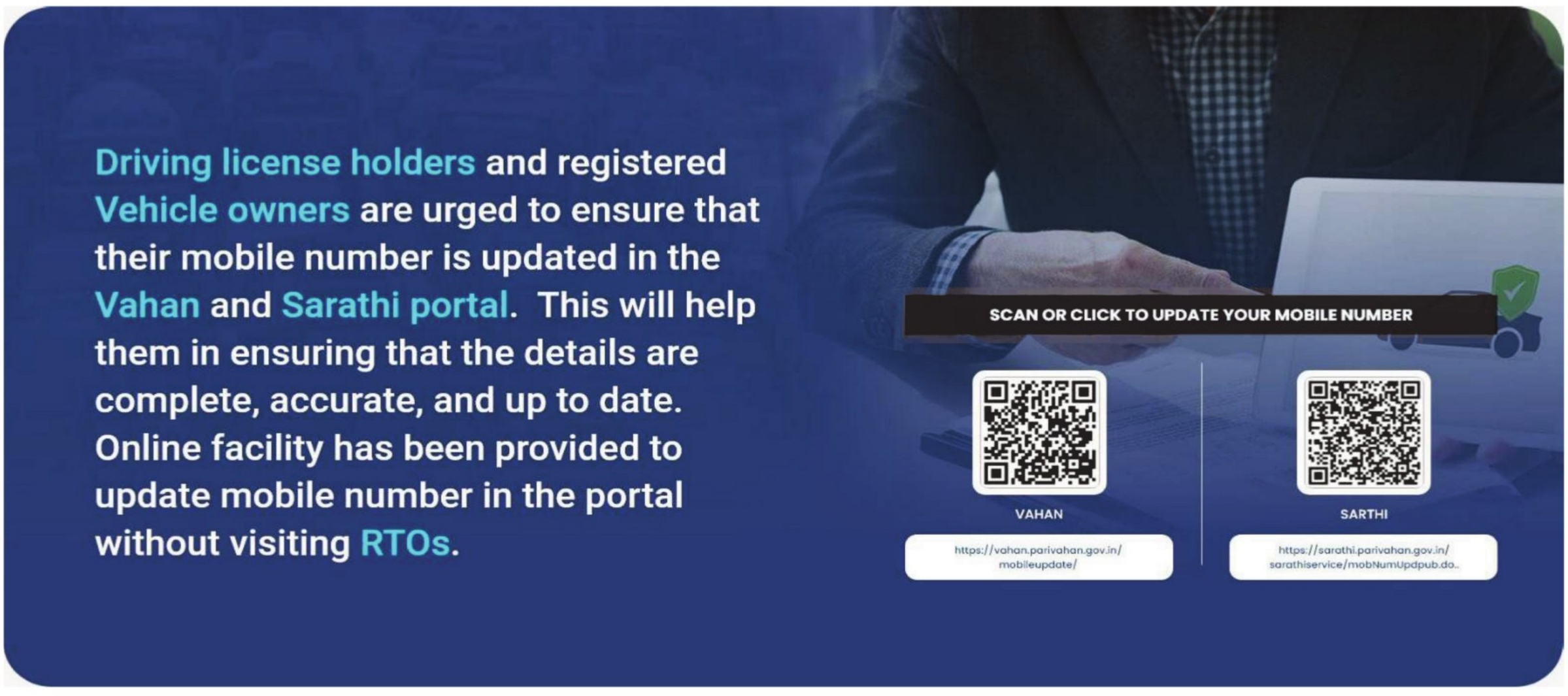
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BJP National General Secretary (Organisation) BL Santhosh said in Udupi on Friday that the "conspirators behind the ideological attacks on Dharmasthala" should be punished

Centre rationalised GST to take advantage in Bihar polls, says CM

Says will consider approaching court if deemed necessary to secure state's rightful share

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mysuru

KARNATAKA Chief Minister Siddaramaiah has accused the Union Government of rationalising GST with an eye on the upcoming Bihar Assembly elections, revealing that Karnataka would incur a staggering loss of Rs 15,000 crore.

He pointed out that the BJP-led NDA government, which instituted GST in 2017 and has levied exorbitant taxes on the people over the past eight years, is now celebrating GST Utsav, asserting that they have diminished the tax burden. "Will the Centre refund the taxes collected over the past eight years?" the CM asked.

Speaking to the media in Mysuru, Siddaramaiah lamented that it is regrettable for the Centre to praise itself for reducing a tax it originally imposed. While he welcomed the rationalisation of GST, which could potentially offset the Rs 15,000 crore loss, he insisted that the state would rise to the challenge of mobilising resources to mitigate the fiscal impact resulting from this GST adjustment. Siddaramaiah also noted that the Centre has allocated a mere Rs 3,200 crore grant to Karnataka, contrasting this with the 17% grant awarded to Uttar Pradesh, while Karnataka has received only 3.5%. The CM further accused the Centre of denying the state a grant amounting to Rs 17,000 crore. He slammed the Union Finance Minister for revoking special grants set aside for Karnataka in the 15th Finance Commission, besides the Rs 3,000 crore pledged for tank development, Rs 3,000 crore for the outer ring road, and Rs 5,000 crore for Upper Badra project.

CM Siddaramaiah in an illuminated Mysuru city on Friday. The city has been deckded up as part of Dasara festivities that ended on Thursday | UDAYASHANKAR S

When questioned about the possibility of pursuing legal action against the Centre for the state's rightful share, he retorted that the state would consider approaching the court if deemed necessary. He also reproached BJP MPs from Karnataka for their failure to push for the state's interests, instead preoccupying themselves with praising the PM.

In response to inquiries regarding the socio-economic survey conducted in the state, Siddaramaiah affirmed that 80 lakh families, covering 3 crore people, have already been included. He expressed confidence that the survey would conclude within the next four days. The CM also indicated that decisions regarding the extension of deadlines would hinge on the progress of the survey report. He took the opportunity to clarify that the survey is not an effort to fragment castes or Hindus, but rather a socio-economic assessment to gauge the advancement and development of all societal segments since Independence.

He further pointed out that people had voluntarily identified themselves as Brahmin Christian, Vokkaliga Christian, Kuruba, and Dalit Christian during the survey executed by the Kantharaj Commission, which was not established by the government. He insisted that the commission has since excluded these identities from the caste list.

Siddaramaiah also accused the BJP of misleading the public by alleging that the saffron party is sowing division among people.He refuted the claims made by LoP in Assembly R Ashoka over the neglect of farmers by the government. He insisted that Ashok's allegations are politically motivated and echo the directives of the RSS.

DEVE GOWDA TO SURVEY FLOOD-HIT DISTRICTS

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

FORMER Prime Minister and Rajya Sabha member HD Deve Gowda said he will carry out a ground survey of the six flood-affected districts in the next few days. "The CM (Siddaramaiah) carried out an aerial survey a couple of days ago and announced some relief to the affected farmers. I don't know to what extent the district ministers and deputy commissioners have reached out to the people. I will fly to Kalaburagi and travel by road to visit the distressed people. I will speak only after assessing the situation," Gowda told the media.

He said he would write to PM Narendra Modi, to demand compensation for farmers whose crops were destroyed. "I don't want to politicise the issue, as Modi is busy with national issues. It is the responsibility of the state government to take measures to respond to people in distress. Kumaraswamy has already written to him. If necessary, I will meet him in Delhi," he replied to an allegation that the Centre had given compensation to other states, leaving out Karnataka. Gowda alleged there was a difference of opinion among Congress legislators over the state's financial situation; some say there is money and others say the coffers have run dry because of the guarantee schemes, and because of them, the government depends on the Centre for flood relief.

Former PM HD Deve Gowda addresses the media in Bengaluru | KEVIN NASHON

BJP-JDS alliance in local body polls

Gowda said his party's alliance with the BJP will continue in all future elections, including local bodies ZP/TP and the Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA), and assembly polls in Karnataka. He asserted that nobody can shake his relationship with PM Modi. "There is no threat to the BJP-JDS alliance as it will not break for any reason, whether it's for polls to ZP/TPs, corporations and assembly. Nobody can change the relationship between me and Modi. Give a single instance of me speaking lightly against him for ten years," he said.

The JDS will hold a women's rally at Palace Grounds on October 12, with over 50,000 women workers participating. The party aims to win at least 50 seats in corporation polls. "We have to prove our strength, if you have financial constraints, let me know as I will shoulder the entire responsibility, but don't step back," he gave a call to women office-bearers.

Allaying concerns over the health of his son and Union minister HD Kumaraswamy, Gowda said he was doing fine and can carry out the party's organisational work.

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> Former PM HD Deve Gowda

DHARMASTHALA ROW

YOUTUBERS SUMMONED FOR QUESTIONING

MANGALURU: The Special Investigation Team investigating the alleged Dharmasthala mass burial case summoned YouTubers on Friday. YouTubers who made videos in connection with the case, including MD Sameer, Santhosh Kadaba, Abhishek, Ajay among others were summoned. Kadaba appeared for questioning on Friday. Activist Jayant's wife, son and daughter were also summoned in connection with the skull case and their statements were recorded by the SIT officials. Earlier, Dharmasthala Gram Panchayat officials were also summoned for questioning to collect information about burials and disposal of the bodies in the village.

'Designed conspiracy': Surjewala hits out at BJP over 'vote chori'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

AICC General Secretary and Karnataka in-charge Randeep Singh Surjewala on Friday lashed out at BJP, alleging that the party hatched a "designed conspiracy" to steal people's mandate through "Vote Chori" (vote theft). Terming it an "attack on the Constitution and democracy," the Congress leader alleged that vote theft is not just restricted to Mahadevapura or Aland Assembly constituencies but also in Maharashtra, whose record was released by Rahul Gandhi.

"Vote Chori is taking place in every Assembly and Lok Sabha polls in the country. It is stealing people's mandate... it is a designed attack on our Constitution and democracy. The sinister forces of the BJP are taking away your right to elect a person of your choice," Surjewala said on the sidelines of a signature campaign in the Pulikeshinagar Assembly constituency.

"Our Constitution says one person, one vote. Today, vote-stealing is going beyond what the Constitution says. Everyone should come together and protect our sacred constitution. We all need to bring about a new wave of revolution and change in this country. Congress leaders and workers should unite as many people as possible in every nook and corner and form a public opinion against vote-stealing. They should inspire people to protect their rights," Surjewala said.

AICC General Secretary Randeep Singh Surjewala addresses media in Bengaluru on Friday | EXPRESS

It is not a mere theft of votes but the theft of the rights of the common people, he said.

He drew parallels between the 'Vote Chori' campaign by the Congress and that of the freedom fighters of the country. He termed the campaign launched under the leadership of AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge and Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi as not a political one but a people's struggle to protect the Constitution and the democracy.

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> — AICC General Secretary Randeep Singh Surjewala

Forest, health, education dept staffers roped in for caste census, errant officers to face action

BOSKY KHANNA @ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka government has roped in frontline staffers from the forest, health and education departments to expedite the ongoing Socio-Educational Survey, otherwise known as the caste census.

Using data of government staffers available on the Human Resource Management System (HRMS) portal, the office of the Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA) sent messages and e-mails to staffers individually, ordering them to participate in training on October 3, and a census exercise from October 4, failing which an FIR will be registered against them under Section 223 of the BNS. It warned that disciplinary action will be taken and they will be terminated from service. The order stated that no exemption is valid unless issued in writing by the GBA Chief Commissioner.

This has raised concern among government officials. A senior official said that with all permanent staffers roped in for the census, government work will now be done by contract employees.

A senior forest department official said, "Forest staffers are exempted from such duties, including election duty. We are writing to the GBA Commissioner, district commissioners, and chief secretary, pointing out that if there is man-animal conflict or any untoward incident, then we are not responsible."

The official added that all permanent staffers, including guards, watchers, range forest officers (RFO), deputy RFO, anti-poaching teams, and leopard and elephant task force staffers have been roped in for the census exercise.

A forest department staffer said, "When we tried to reason, the GBA team advised us to complete census duty and then do department duties. But forest duty is not like a desk job. It is round-the-clock ground work, without timings."

Similar concern was raised by health department officials, where staffers, including laboratory technicians, pharmacists, clerical and technical staff have been roped in for the census. "Government hospitals are already complaining of problems, and with staffers gone, this will only get aggravated in the coming days. A list of staffers is being prepared, and will be handed over to the chief secretary for exemption," a senior health official said.

However, education department officials expressed helplessness. The officials pointed to a shortage of teachers and lecturers, and that the government is not paying attention to the plight of guest teachers. Now, with census duty and schools reopening after Dasara holidays, matters will only get worse.

"Holidays were cancelled for teachers. To ensure education is not affected, we had requested that only primary school teachers be roped in. But middle and high school teachers are also on census duty. For all government work, anganwadi workers and teachers are used. These two sections are very important in education," said a senior education department official.

GBA Chief Commissioner Maheshwar Rao said government orders were clear on involving government employees. At least 20,000 staffers are needed to complete the exercise in two weeks, and if government staffers are involved, it ensures credibility.

Siddu will step down by year-end, claims Ashoka

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Belagavi

AMID swirling speculation within the Congress over a change of guard in Karnataka, Leader of Opposition in Assembly R Ashoka on Friday asserted Chief Minister Siddaramaiah would be forced to relinquish the post by November or December under an internal pact.

Ashoka recalled the recent statement of a noted Congress leader that a "political revolution" will take place during the fag end of this year which will end with the exit of Siddaramaiah from the top post.

Addressing reporters in Belagavi, Ashoka claimed the agreement between Siddaramaiah and Deputy CM DK Shivakumar on sharing the CM's chair was "100% true." "But neither Siddaramaiah is ready to step down nor Shivakumar ready to give up his ambition. This tug-of-war has paralysed governance in the state," the BJP leader said.

Ashoka said that several Congress leaders themselves were asking Siddaramaiah about the timing of his exit. "For two-and-a-half years, stories have floated on who will succeed Siddaramaiah — Shivakumar, Parameshwara or Satish Jarkiholi. Meanwhile, the state has been badly neglected," Ashoka said.

Citing the recent letter from the Contractors' Association, Ashoka alleged that the Congress government was "twice as corrupt as the previous BJP government," accusing it of collecting up to 80% commission.

Min's grandson in Dasara parade; Oppn furious, Congress too objects

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mysuru

A controversy has erupted following the appearance of the grandchild of Mysuru district in-charge Minister and Social Welfare Minister Dr HC Mahadevappa, who was seen accompanying CM Siddaramaiah, Deputy CM DK Shivakumar, and other cabinet ministers during the illustrious Dasara parade preceding the start of Jamboo Savari.

The Vijayadashami procession, traditionally reserved for dignitaries occupying constitutional positions, showcased an atypical scene when the young boy, donning black sunglasses, was prominently positioned in the open vehicle alongside top state leaders. His presence at a governmental event swiftly gained traction on social media, igniting a political storm.

The Opposition has accused the Congress of transforming state events into familial affairs. BJP leaders are set to challenge the appropriateness of permitting relatives of ministers to share the spotlight with the highest elected officials during an official cultural celebration.

Adding further weight to the controversy is the reaction from within the Congress itself. Party insiders have revealed that the high command has expressed dissatisfaction and sought clarification from the leadership. The central leadership is reportedly demanding an explanation regarding how a family member was permitted to take part in the parade.

Mahadevappa is yet to comment on the matter, while social media is inundated with videos depicting people possessing passes grappling to gain entry to the palace for Jamboo Savari.

EXPRESS READ

Health dept issues norms to upgrade PHCs to CHCs

BENGALURU: The Health Department on Friday issued norms for considering the proposals for sanction of new Primary Health Centres, Community Health Centres or upgradation of PHCs to CHCs across the state. Though population norms justify many such proposals, it is imperative that the travel time and distance norms prescribed by the Finance Department in its endorsement dated August 6, 2024, are applied uniformly before any new sanction is considered, the order stated.

Khadi reimagined: Modern, mindful and made in Karnataka

KHADI in Karnataka is stepping beyond its traditional image of sarees and panchas. The Karnataka State Khadi and Village Industries Board is now giving khadi a contemporary edge, creating trendy designs for youth, women and children, while also charting a roadmap for business expansion. Inspired by Gandhiji's vision, the Board has been supporting artisans for over seven decades by promoting indigenous products.

Modernisation and artisan training

Khadi had long been confined to political leaders and Gandhian enthusiasts. Today, efforts are being made to position it as an everyday choice for people of all ages. Known for its use of natural dyes and eco-friendly processes, khadi is both sustainable and suitable for all seasons. On the directions of the Government of Karnataka (GoK), preparations are under way for a Karnataka Khadi Exhibition at Dasara exhibition pavilion, modelled as part of Khadi India movement, launched by the GoK.

While artisans continue to use spinning wheels and handlooms, the Board plans to adopt state-of-the-art machinery, as done in Gujarat and West Bengal. Three leading engineering colleges — Silver Jubilee Chamarajendra College of Technology (Bengaluru), Bapuji Institute of Technology (Davanagere) and Hulakoti Patil Institute of Technology (Gadag) — have been roped in to research and recommend technology upgrades.

SHALINI RAJNEESH
Chief Secretary, Govt of Karnataka

A training programme is also being developed to extract organic dyes from fruits and vegetables. The first batch of 50 artisans and board employees will travel to Gujarat in October to learn about yarn extraction, modern machinery, and value addition techniques.

Market expansion

Currently, khadi products such as sarees, shirts, lungis and handkerchiefs are available, but lack wider market reach. To address this, two to three Bengaluru-based textile companies have been entrusted with creating new-age khadi fashion models like blazers, jackets and trousers. NIFT Bengaluru has collaborated in this noble effort. "I have been in the textile sector for two years. Working with the Board, we are developing innovative designs using Karnataka khadi to strengthen its global presence. The idea is to boost khadi's appeal and ensure artisans' benefit from growing demand," said Rajini Rekha, proprietrix, Reves La Veste, from Bengaluru.

While 14,000 artisans are engaged in Karnataka, the current turnover is ₹250 crore from 175 Khadi & Village Industries institutions active in the state. The Board is targeting turnover growth from the current ₹250 crore to ₹1,000 crore initially, with a long-term goal of ₹3,000 crore, ensuring artisans' share the benefits.

Under the Karnataka Khadi Policy, students and government employees may soon be encouraged to wear khadi at least once a week. "Our aim is to take Karnataka khadi to every age group, modernize production and expand markets. This will empower artisans and build khadi as a strong state brand," said DB Natesh, executive officer, Karnataka State Khadi and Village Industries Board. "We have taken up this programme as per the direction of Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, to mark 100 years of Mahatma Gandhi's visit to Karnataka."

Exposing serious lapses in the security arrangements at the Choudwar Circle Jail, in Odisha two undertrial prisoners escaped from the prison by scaling the walls late on Thursday night. The two were arrested on January 4 for allegedly committing a robbery at a jewellery shop in Panikoili in Jajpur district and killing two people during the heist

Tirupati cops hold checks after bomb scare

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Tirupati

TIRUPATI police carried out extensive anti-sabotage checks across the city and at major pilgrim areas on Friday morning following threatening emails allegedly sent by terrorist groups.

A high alert was declared, and bomb disposal squads were deployed immediately. Speaking to *TNIE*, Special Branch DSP Venkata Narayana said that, on the directions of Tirupati SP L Subba Rayudu, bomb disposal teams inspected several sensitive locations. He clarified that reports claiming Tirupati Police had received hoax bomb threat emails in the name of ISI and former LTTE militants were incorrect, noting that those emails had actually been received by Tamil Nadu Police a day earlier. The alleged threats suggested the use of RDX explosives in four areas of Tirupati.

Tirupati police have previously received similar emails from unidentified sources on two occasions. Intelligence agencies continue to investigate the recurring threats, and security measures remain in place to safeguard the city and its pilgrims.

KARUR STAMPEDE

HC forms SIT, slams Vijay for poor leadership

Stalin criticises BJP for capitalising on tragedy

R SIVAKUMAR @Chennai

EXPRESSING 'agony' and 'anguish' over the death of 41 people during the September 27 roadshow of TVK leader **Vijay** at Velusamypuram in Karur and the failure of the state government in taking stringent action against those responsible for the tragedy, the Madras High Court on Friday constituted a special investigation team (SIT) to probe the tragic incident. North Zone Inspector General (IG) of Police Asra Garg will head the SIT which was ordered to commence the investigations forthwith.

The court also strongly condemned actor Vijay and TVK for violations during the event and the manner in which they reacted post the event. "The leader (Vijay) has vanished and disappeared from the place of occurrence. Unfortunate to record that such a leadership is of poor quality," Justice N Senthilkumar said. He "strongly condemned" TVK for flouting the conditions set for conducting the event.

The principal bench of the HC here also dismissed a BJP leader's plea seeking a CBI probe into the incident, and directed her to approach the Madurai bench. The Madurai bench dismissed the anticipatory bail pleas of TVK state general secretary Bussy N Anand and deputy general secretary CTR Nirmal Kumar, who have been named in the FIR in connection with the incident.

Chief Minister **M K Stalin** accused the BJP and the government led by it at the Centre, of "showing no genuine concern" over the tragic stampede, and said the saffron party wanted to "capitalise" on the incident in view of next year's Assembly election.

RAIN HAVOC

Uprooted trees being removed from a road following strong winds, in Visakhapatnam on Friday | G SATYANARAYANA

EXPRESS READ

K'taka man held for impregnating minor daughter

Kasaragod: The Hosdurg police have arrested a 40-year-old Karnataka man for sexually assaulting his minor daughter and impregnating her under the police limits. The accused, a native of Kodagu district, works as a mason. The incident came to light after a medical examination of the 13-year-old Class 8 student – who was taken to a hospital in Mangaluru for backpain – revealed that she was four months pregnant. The girl's parents took her to a private hospital in Mangaluru on Thursday after she complained about severe backpain.

TEMPLE LAPSES

TDB faces heat over Sabarimala gold panels

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@T'puram

THE controversy over the gold-plated panels of the Sabarimala Lord Ayyappa temple is deepening, putting the Travancore Devaswom Board (TDB) on the defensive. The latest twist came with the recovery of documents by the board's vigilance wing regarding the gold plating of the sanctum in 1998.

According to the records, 30.3 kg of gold and 1,900 kg of copper were used for the gold-plating of the sanctum, a project sponsored by businessman Vijay Mallya. These same panels were sent for maintenance to Chennai in 2019 under the sponsorship of priest-turned-businessman Unnikrishnan Potty, the central figure in the present controversy.

However, the Devaswom records of the 2019 maintenance state that only copper panels were sent for repair. Another startling revelation by the vigilance team was that the panels remained in Potty's possession for 39 days after their formal handover by the TDB. While the TDB has placed the blame squarely on Potty, the episode has also exposed serious lapses on the part of the board. Officials entrusted the valuable temple property to the new sponsor but failed to monitor the repair activities properly. The public display and poojas conducted by Potty are clear violations of temple rules and customs.

Directive issued to preserve movie tickets

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka government has appealed to the public to preserve the tickets obtained physically or electronically for the movie, and the owners of the multiplex theatres should be required to maintain complete records of all cinema ticket sales. The State Government issued this directive in view of a series of directives issued by a vacation division bench of the High Court recently, after hearing the appeal filed by Karnataka State Film Chamber of Commerce and others against the stay granted by a single judge to the Rs 200 cap fixed by the State Government for movie tickets.

The government stated that consumers have to retain the movie tickets so that they can claim a refund of the money paid over and above Rs 200 ceiling if the petitions filed by the Multiplexes Association of India and others questioning the ceiling fixed by the government are dismissed by the HC.

Tiger carcass found in MM Hills, probe on

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

THE forest officials discovered the carcass of a tiger in Malai Mahadeshwara Hills (MM Hills) Wildlife Sanctuary on Thursday. The news was circulated on Friday.

"Things do not seem to be going right in MM Hills. If need be, a team will be sent to investigate not just the tiger death, but also the entire operations in MM Hills," said a senior Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change official. The National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA) also showed concern over the incident.

Two sniffer dogs, specially trained in wildlife crimes, from Bandipur Tiger Reserve were sent. "The patrolling team teams found a slip, and the house of one of the accused was searched. However, the house remains vacant and closed. The accused is absconding," said a senior investigating official.

"The rest of the body parts were found in the vicinity. The accused must have been trying to bury them separately." Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Wildlife, PC Rai said, the body was reconstructed and all parts were found. It was a large male tiger aged around 12 years with withering canines and was feeding on cattle for survival. No bullet injuries were found, and metal detectors were also used, but nothing was found. It seems to be a case of poisoning; final postmortem and FSL reports are awaited," he added.

Taking note of the incident, Forest, Environment, and Ecology Department Minister Eshwar B Khandre said the incident happened on the first day of the 71st wildlife week celebrations in Karnataka. He issued orders for the constitution of a special investigating committee headed by the principal chief conservator of forests, Smita Bijoor. He also ordered the forest officials to submit a report within eight days and take action against the officials who have shown negligence of duty. Khandre also sought a report of the poaching incidents and the action taken over the last three years.

Another official said that concerns started to rise after cattle grazing from Tamil Nadu was stopped and the camps were cleared. This is the second tiger death in the MM Hills in the last couple of months. On July 3, 2020, a tigress and her four cubs were poisoned to death.

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NATIONAL SILKWORM SEED ORGANIZATION
CENTRAL SILK BOARD (Ministry of Textiles - Government of India)
Carmelaram P.O., Kodathi, Bengaluru - 560 035.
Website: www.csb.gov.in,Phone: 080-29519990, E-mail: sstlban.csb@nic.in

No.CSB/NSSO/ISTR/PROJECTS/PA-ADVT/2025-26 Date: 27.09.2025

WALK IN INTERVIEW

Eligible candidates are invited for Walk-In-Interview for the posts **(3)** of **Project Assistant** at the above address on **09.10.2025** at **9.30** AM on contractual basis in CSB funded projects.The positions are purely on temporary basis and till the completion of the project. For details, visitCSB website: **www.csb.gov.in**

CBC: 41109/12/0008/2526 **Director**

F.No. SP-1/18/2025-BIOACOU Section-CMLRE (e 737)
Centre for Marine Living Resources and Ecology (CMLRE)
Ministry of Earth Sciences (MOES)
Atal Bhavan, LNG Road, Puthuvype, Ochanthuruth P.O., Kochi, India

Walk in Interview

Walk-in-interview to fill the vacancies against Project Manager (01 Nos.) and Project Assistant / Technical Assistant (01 Nos) in the Prithvi (2022-26) project of CMLRE will be held at CMLRE, Puthuvype campus.
Qualified candidates will be engaged as the respective post for a period upto March 2026 or till the tenure of the project. For details visit www.cmire.gov.in

Sd/-
cbc12110/11/0005/2526 **Under Secretary and HOO**

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Rolling Advertisement for Faculty Positions

IISER TVM invites applications for various faculty positions at the Institute on '**tenure track**' as follows:

Designation	School
Assistant Professor Grade I	Biology, Chemistry, Data Science, Earth, Environmental & Sustainability Sciences, Mathematics and Physics.
Assistant Professor Grade II (on contract)	Data Science

For further details about qualifications, experience and submitting an online application, please visit: www.iisertvm.ac.in

REGISTRAR

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
(RAICHUR THERMAL POWER STATION)
CIN: U85110KA1970SGC001919

ABSTRACT / SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through KPP Portal only)

KPCL invites tenders through KPP portal website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** for the following works:

1) KPCL/2025-26/PS/IND2057 Date: 24.09.2025 Procurement of Paints on ARC basis for a period of one year and extendable to one more year with same rates, terms and conditions on mutual consent. **EMD: Rs.30,000/-.** Last date for receipt of tender: **08.10.2025, 16.00 Hrs.** Further details contact: **Executive Engineer (Purchase)**, Mobile: 94495 97966. E-mail: eeprtps@gmail.com

2) KPCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT3528 Date: 25.09.2025 Conducting of coal survey at stock yard by using drone at RTPS for a period of 12 months. **Amount put to tender: Rs.13.983 Lakhs.** Further details can be had from **Executive Engineer (RTM)**, RTPS, KPCL, Shakstinagar - 584170. Dist. Raichur. Mobile: 94806 82533.

Appointment of Stenographer in the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority, New Delhi.

The Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi invites applications for one (01) post of Stenographer (Level-04) on deputation basis, in the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority, a statutory body established under Section 125 of the Companies Act, 2013. The post is based at Delhi.
2. This is an open vacancy circular. Once sufficient number of applications from the eligible candidates are received in the Authority, the same shall be considered for interview / selection. Applications in the prescribed format, duly completed, must be submitted to the **Deputy General Manager(Admin), IEPF Authority, Ground Floor, Jeevan Vihar Building, 3, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110001.**
3. For application format, eligibility conditions, requisite qualifications, other details and terms & conditions for service, please log on to Ministry of Corporate Affairs' website **www.mca.gov.in** or **www.iepf.gov.in.**
*The number of vacancies indicated above are tentative. It may vary at the time of appointment.

CBC 07110/12/0008/2526

SAINIK SCHOOL KALIKIRI, ANNAMAYYA DIST (AP)
(Under the aegis of Sainik Schools Society, Ministry of Defence)
Advt No. SSKAL/1010/RECT/2025-08, dated 04 Oct 2025

PTI-CUM-MATRON ON CONTRACTUAL BASIS

Sainik School Kalikiri invites applications from eligible candidates for the following vacancy purely on temporary contractual basis (period not exceeding one year):

S.No	Post	No. of Vacancies	Age Limit	Pay Scale
1.	PTI-Cum Matron (Female)	One Vacancy Contractual **(Reserved for OBC-NCL)**	21-35 years as on 24 Oct 2025	Consolidated Pay Rs.58,819/-

Interested candidates may apply to the Principal, Sainik School Kalikiri, Annamayya District, Andhra Pradesh, PIN - 517234 within 21 days from the date of publication of the advertisement. Eligible and shortlisted candidates will be called for the selection process on a date to be intimated later. No TA/DA is admissible to candidates called for Test/Interview. **The School administration reserves the right to cancel the vacancy due to administrative reasons.**
For application form and further details visit School website **https://sskal.ac.in/careers.**

Sd/-PRINCIPAL

PSPCL Punjab State Power Corporation Limited
(Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala - 147001.
Corporate Identity Number: U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
(Contact no. 96461-17604, 96461-17659)

Tender Enquiry no. 1853/M&FMC/O&M/PC-2720 **Dated:30-09-2025**

Chief Engineer / O&M (P&P Cell-II), GHTP, Lehra Mohabbat - 151111 Distt. Bathinda invites E-tender (Limited) for the **Procurement of Stainless Steel Center feed pipe and RC Feeder Outlet Reducer at Stage-1 GHTP, Lehra Mohabbat**. Quantity as per NIT. For detailed NIT & tender Specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **30.09.2025** from **17:00 hrs.** Onwards.

NOTE: Corrigendum and addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

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Tender Enquiry no. 1854/MAMC/O&M/PC-2723 **Dated:30-09-2025**

Chief Engineer / O&M (P&P Cell-II), GHTP, Lehra Mohabbat - 151111 Distt. Bathinda invites E-tender (Limited) for the Procurement of **Non Clog Vertical Type Centrifugal Pump without motor at clarifier bridge sludge pit stage-II** Quantity as per NIT. For detailed NIT & tender Specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **30.09.2025** from **17:00 hrs.** Onwards.

NOTE: Corrigendum and addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

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India Gears Up for Flying Cars in Emergency Medical Evacuation: Aeromed and Sarla Aviation Forge Landmark Pact

India is preparing to usher in a next-generation medical evacuation ecosystem with Vertical Take-Off and Landing (VTOL) air ambulances. In a breakthrough for national healthcare, Aeromed International Rescue Services and Sarla Aviation have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to introduce drone-like VTOL aircraft designed to transform emergency medical transport during the crucial "golden hour."

The agreement was signed by Adrian Schmidt, Chief Executive and Co-founder of Sarla Aviation, and Shaju Kumar KV, Director and Co-founder of Aeromed Air Ambulance. The partnership aims to revolutionise India's emergency response system, including life-saving organ transport during critical time windows.

The MoU outlines plans to integrate advanced air mobility into hospital emergency protocols, with rooftop and vertiport landing facilities, as well as patient-centric cabins fitted with ventilators, advanced medical equipment and seating for doctors and paramedics.

Amod Jaiswal, Founder and Managing Director of Aeromed Air Ambulance, said: "We are planning to connect all medical colleges and leading corporate hospitals in India with VTOL air ambulances, bringing

futuristic technology into everyday emergency care."

Kumar added: "Through this partnership, we will deploy VTOL and Short Take-Off and Landing (STOL) aircraft capable of reaching patients anywhere in the country. Our vision is to bridge the healthcare gap by providing intensive-care-level evacuation across India."

Schmidt noted: "When every minute can mean the difference between life and death, mobility means everything. This partnership with Aeromed is about using VTOL technology to give people the most precious resource: time."

MAHILA CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.,

A.O. # 14, South End Road, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore - 560020.
Phone: 23562229 / 23460051

See Rule U/S 13(4) of Rule 8(1) APPENDIX - IV
POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, the undersigned being the authorized officer of the **Mahila Co-operative Bank Ltd., Bangalore** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest (SARFAESI) Act., 2002, and In exercise of power under section 13(12) read with Rules 3 of the Security interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice on the dates mentioned below calling therein upon the within-named Borrowers / Guarantors to repay the amount mentioned below within 60 (Sixty) days from the date of the said notice.

The within - named Borrowers / Guarantors having failed to repay the amount, the Notice is hereby given to them and the public in general that the undersigned has taken the possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of the powers conduct on him under Section 13 (4) of the said of the Act read with rule 9 of the Said Rules of the below mentioned date.

The Borrowers / Guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the said property in any manner whatsoever and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Mahila Co-operative Bank Ltd., Bangalore** For the amount, interest & other charges thereon.

Sl. No.	Name of Borrower	Descriptions of the property	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession	Amount Outstanding in Rs.
1.	**Smt. Deepa S, D/o Shankaralingham B.G.** No.57, 2nd Main Road, 1st Block, BEL Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bengaluru-560097. **Gurantors:** **1.Sri Shankaralingham B.G. S/o Bala Guruswamy** No.57, 2nd Main Road, 1st Block, BEL Layout, Vidhyaranyapura, Bengaluru-560097 **2. Smt. Kavitha Shanakaralingam W/o Shankaralingham B.G.** No.57, 2nd Main Road, 1st Block, BEL Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bengaluru-560097	All that piece and parcel of Immovable property being land with residential building bearing Site No.39 registered in BBMP Khata No.39/39, Old Site No.39 of Pattanagere CMC Khata No.296, situated at MPM Layout, Mallattahalli Carved out of Layout formed by Mysore Paper Mills Employees House Bldg Co-operative Societies Ltd., approved by BDA in Survey No.3/2, 5, 6/1, 6/2, 7/1, 7/2, 7/3, 7/4, 7/5, 8/1, 8/2, 14/4, 14/5, 14/6, 14/7A, 14/7B, 15/1, 15/2, 15/3, 15/6, 16P, and 17 of Mallattahalli Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, BBMP Ward No.129, Bengaluru, **Measuring:** East to West 60'-0" Fts and North to South 40'-0" Fts, having a total extent of 2400 square feets and **Bounded on the: East by**: Site No.34, **West by**: Road, **North by**: Site No.40, **South by**: Site No.38.	**28.07.2025**	**03.10.2025**	**A/c No. EMI-255 Rs.1,90,82,034/- + With further interest & other charges from 28.07.2025**

Date: 04.10.2025
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Mahila Co-operative Bank Ltd., Bengaluru.

VYSYA CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.,

Administrative Office: Dr. Shri ShriShivakuamaraSwamiji Circle, B.H. Road, Tumakuru- 572102.
Branch office at: APMC Yard Branch, Yeshwanthpura, Bengaluru, Ph: 0816-2279934, E-Mail: ao@vcbltkr.com,vcbltkr@gmail.com

NOTICE TO THE BORROWERS/MORTGAGERS/GUARANTORS

Under Section 13 (2) of the Securitisation And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd., APMC Yard Branch, Yeshwanthpura, Bengaluru,** under Securitisation And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued Demand Notices under Section 13 (2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) listed hereunder, to pay the amounts mentioned in the respective Demand Notice/s, within 60 days from the date of the respective Notice/s, as per details given below. The undersigned have, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known respective addresses of the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s). Copies of the said Notices are available with the undersigned, and the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s), may, if they so desire, collect the respective copy from the undersigned on any working day during normal office hours.

In connection with the above, Notice is hereby given, once again, to the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) to pay to **Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,** within 60 days from the date of publication of this Notice, the amounts indicated herein below in their respective names, together with further interest as applicable, read with the loan agreement and other documents/writings, if any, executed by the said Borrower(s). As security for due repayment of the loan, the following Secured Asset(s) have been mortgaged to **Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,** by the said Borrower (s) respectively.

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s) / Co-Borrower(s)/ Guarantors/Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s)	Total Outstanding Dues	Date of Demand Notice	DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHEDULE PROPERTY
1	**(1) Mr. Sudhendraraj P S** S/o P V Satyanarayana **(2) Mrs. Padma N R** W/o Sudhendraraj P S **(3) Mr.Rakshith Raj Pandith** S/o Mr. Sudhendraraj P S **(4) Kum. S Ashmitha Ramya Raj (Mortgager)** D/o Mr. Sudhendraraj P S **All are R/o :** No.3/666, Hennur Bande, Bangalore North, Kalyannagar, Bengaluru-560043.	Loan A/c No. VTL-2 - (Dr.N R Padma) Rs. 65,29,229/- VTL-3 - (Dr. Sudhendraraj P S Rs.2,25,07,002/- Grand Total : Rs. 2,90,36,231/- (Rupees Two Crore Ninety Lakhs Thirty Six Thousand Two Hundred Thirty One Only) as on 31.08.2025	08.09.2025 NPA Date 28.09.2024 & 28.06.2025	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.3, Katha No. 666/3/1356, situated at Hennur Village, KasabaHobli, Bangalore North Taluk, now within the limit of Bruhat Bangalore MahanagaraPalike, Ward No. 30, measuring East to West 50 feet and North to South 50 feet, totally measuring 2500 Sq ft and bounded on by : East by : Property belong to late Ankappa and Sri. Mallesha, West by : Private Property, North by : Property belonging to Smt Jayamma and Sri. Munegowda, South by : Road.

*with further interest as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc incurred till the date of payment and / or realization.

If the said Borrowers shall fail to make payment to **Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,** as aforesaid, then **Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,** shall proceed against the above Secured Asset(s) / Immovable Property (ies) under Section 13 (2) of the said Act and the applicable Rules entirely at the risk of the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) as to the costs and consequences.

The said Borrower (s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) are prohibited under the said Act to transfer the aforesaid Secured Asset (s) / Immovable Property (ies), whether by way of sale, lease or otherwise without the prior written consent of **Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd.**, Any person who contravenes or abets contravention of the provisions of the Act or Rules made there under shall be liable for penalty as provided under the Act.

Date: 03.10.2025
Place: Tumakuru

Sd/- Authorised Officer & Chief Executive Officer
of Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Under SARFAESI ACT, 2002

PUBLIC NOTICE

ICICI Bank Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

The following borrower(s) has/have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest towards the Loan facility(ies) availed from ICICI Bank. The Loan(s) has/have been classified as Non-Performing Asset(s) (NPA).
A Notice was issued to them under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, at their last known addresses. However, it has not been served and are therefore being notified by way of this Public Notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Description of Secured Asset to be enforced	Date of Notice sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	D Venkata Kishore/ Dogiparthi Sowjanya/ Flat No.1304 Ebony A-wing, Godrej Woodsman Estate, Bellary, Hebbal Bangalore- 560024/ LBBNG00003179464/ LBBNG00003179465/ LBHYD00005266435	Schedule 'a' Property All That Piece And Parcel Of Portion Of Residentially Converted Land Bearing Sy No.13 (Converted Vide Official Memorandum Dated 17.09.2004 Bearing No.bds: ALN:S.R.(E)103/2004-05 Issued By The Office Of Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), Doddarnekundi Village, Kr Puran Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Within The Jurisdiction Of Cmc, Mahadevapura, Ward No.29, Presently In Bbmp Limits, Bangalore Measuring An Extent Of 2 Acres 20 Guntas Out Of 7 Acres 24 Guntas And Bounded As Follows: East By : Ramaiah Reddy's Land West By : Remaining Portion Of Sy.no.13 North By : Remaining Portion Of Sy. No.13 South By : Road Schedule 'b' Property An Extent Of 857/108900 Of Undivided Right, Title And Interest In Land Comprised In The Schedule 'a' Property Equivalent To 857 Sq. Ft.. Schedule ' C' Property All That Piece And Parcel Of Apartment No1005 On The Tenth Floor, Mont Titlis Block Of The Multistoried Building Known As "Alpine Eco" Constructed And Erected On The Schedule 'a' Property I.e., Portion Of Residentially Converted Land Bearing Sy No.13, Doddanekundi Village, Ferncity Main Road, Alpine Avenue, Kr Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, The Bbmp New Municipal Number 627/r.t.f/1005, (old Municipal No.R.T.F/1005), Ward No.29, Presently In Bbmp Limits, Bangalore With Details And Other Attributes Given Hereunder: Super Built-up Area : 3214 Sq.ft., Vitrified Tiles Flooring, Sal Wood Doors, Aluminium Windows Including Proportionate Share Of Common Areas Attributable Thereto A Share In The Area Of The Club House And Limited Access To Terrace Area, L.e., From The Lift Room To The Water Tank For The Purpose Of Repairs, And Along With Two Covered Car Parking Space.	04.08.2025 Rs. 1,20,19,154.90/-	06/03/ 2025
2.	Lokesh H/ Gangamma/ No.82, 8th Main, 8th Cross Tata Nagar, Kodigehalli Post Bangalore- 560094/ LBBNG00002378159	Schedule Property All That Piece And Parcel Of The Site Bearing No.f-451, Bbmp Khatha No.246, Bel Layout, 1" Stage, Bbmp Ward No. 72, Situated At Herohalli Village, (magadi Road), In Sy. No. 53/1, 53/2, 54, 56/2, 57 To 62/1, 62/2, 62/3, 62/4, 62/5 And 62/6, 80/3, 80/4, 82/1, 82/2, 82/3, 175, 187, 189 To 193 Developed By Bharath Electronics Co-operative House Building Society Ltd., Total Measuring 111.63 Sq. Meter, And The Property Is Bounded On:- East By : Site No. 452 West By : Site No. 450 North By : Site No. 462 South By : 40 Ft Road, Measuring East To West : 12.20 (twelve Point Two Zero) Meters North To South : 9.15 (nine Point One Five) Meters Cumulatively Measuring 111.63 Sq. Meters Of Residential Vacant Site.	20.08.2025 Rs. 19,92,536.26/-	04/07/ 2025
3.	Manjunath G R/ G Rajappa/ No. 51 Venkatapura Village Jakasandra Koramangala Bangalore- 560034/ LBBNG00005289936	As Described In The Loan Document / Property Document Covering As Described In The Loan Document / Property Document Covering Property Bearing On All The Piece And Parcel In Shivamogga City, Ward No.35, Kashipura Extension Current Municipal Katha No.5595/5595 Of Bearing This Site No.9,(nine),measuring 20*59 Feet,1180 Sq.ft. In This Area Built Total Field 600 Sq.ft. R.c.c House, House Made By Red Oxide Flooring, Wooden Windows And Doors. District Collector Of Shivamoga City, Kasaba Hobli, Kashipura Village Survey No.75, Order No. Alnsr.53:2003-04, Date 25-11-2003 Alignment Property And Bounded On The: North:road South: Site No,85 East:site No.10 West: Site No.8	20.08.2025 Rs. 20,30,888.96/-	04/07/ 2025
4.	Bhanu Pratap Hegde/ Sahna Hegde/ No.301 Memphis No-7 Langford Road Langford Town Bangalore- 560025/ LBBNG00001157229	SCHEDULE-'A' (Entire Property) All that piece and parcel of parts of residentially converted immovable property bearing Survey No. 29/2-A measuring 2 Acres 19.64 Guntas, and Survey No. 29/2-B measuring 10.64 guntas, situated at Jaraganahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore measuring together approximately 2 Acres 30.28 guntas (1,20,094 sq.ft.) and bounded as follows:- East : Kanakapura Main Road & the House Property Of the Owners, the plots of Mr. Appanna Reddy And Mr. Narayanaswamy Reddy; West : Private Property of M/s. Gopalan Enterprises; North : Sy.Nos.29/1 of M/s. Gopalan Enterprises; South : Balance Portion, of Sy. Nos. 29/2A, 29/28 Belonging to the Owners; The Schedule Property is more fully described in the sketch attached to the Joint Development Agreement dated SCHEDULE 'B' (Property hereby agreed to be sold to the PURCHASER) An undivided share, right, title and 0.532 % In the Schedule-A Property in proportion to the Schedule "C" Apartment after taking into account the land area relinquished to BDA as said in Schedule-A above SCHEDULE - 'C' (Description of the house property to be constructed) THREE Bedroom apartment (Refer to the floor plan attached to the construction agreement) bearing No. 503 on the Fifth floor, in the BD Block/wing, of the residential complex known as "PURVA BELMONT" (refer to key plan attached to the construction agreement) to be constructed in Schedule-A Property, having a built-up area of 1,236.68 Square Feet (which is Inclusive of balconies and utility space) and proportionate common area of 294.32 Square Feet (which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and walls between the apartments and the common area attributable thereto) together with Covered Car Parking Space.	20.08.2025 Rs. 850,775.15/-	14/07/ 2025
5.	Lavanya N Gowda/ Anil Kumar S N/ No. 106 Balaji Shelter Hemmigepura Ward Srinivasapura Cross Uttarahalli Kengeri Main Road Royal Indraprastha Rajarajeshwari Nagar Bangalore - 560098/ TBBNG00006984853	Schedule 'a' (property Description Of Entire Property) All That Piece Of Land Parcel Of Immovable Residential Property Having Amalgamated Bbmp Katha No.368/sy.no.3/2c & 17/2b/17/112/3/3a2&17/2b&17/112/17/2b, Converted In Sy No.3/2c, 17/2b, 3/3a2, 3/3c2 & 17/1 1 2, Situated At Ganakallu Village, Kengeri Hobli Bangalore South Taluk, Measuring 2 Acres 20 Guntas Or 9,970.40 Sq.mtrs Or 1,08,900 Sq.ft, Bbmp Ward No.198, Hemmigepura, Bounded On East By : Halla And Land Bearing Sy No.3/3b West By : Road And Remaining Portion Of Land Bearing Sy No.17/2b North By : Remaining Portion Of Land Bearing Sy No.17/2b And 3/2c South By : Land Bearing Sy No. 17/2a,3/2b,3/3c1 And 3/3a1 Schedule 'b' (description Of The Undivided Share Agreed To Be Conveyed) 519.14 Sq.ft Of Undivided Share, Right, Title Interest In The Schedule A Property. Schedule 'c' (description Of The Apartment Agreed To Be Conveyed) A '3' Bhk Apartment Bearing No.3095 On The 9th Floor In Tower 3 In The Residential Development "elegant Hermitage" To Be Constructed On The Project Land, Having A Carpet Area Of 109.57 Sq.mtrs, Exclusive Area Measuring 17.91 Sq. Mtrs And Common Area Measuring 32.22 In Sq. Mtrs, Totally Measuring Super Built Up Area Of 1719 Sq.ft Or 159.7 Sq.mtrs Together With The 1 Covered Car Park/s.	20.08.2025 Rs. 75,43,167.00/-	09/07/ 2025
6.	Arjun K/ Pramodhini L/ D No. 103 6/ 34 1st Floor 2nd Cross S I H Road Vidyaranyapuram Mysore- 570008/ LBMYS00005350947	As Described In The Loan Document / Property Document Covering All That Piece And Parcel Of Residential House Site Bearing Sile No. 212, Janjar No. 115, Measuring East To West 50 Feet And North To South 80 Feet, Situate At Nachanahalli, Khille Mohalla, Mysuru City, And Bounded On: North:road South: Neeru Hariyuva Halia East:site No. 113 West: Site No. 111	28.08.2025 Rs. 8159597.00/-	04/07/ 2025

These steps are being taken for substituted service of Notice. The above borrower/s and/or guarantor/s (as applicable) is/are advised to make the outstanding payment within 60 days from the date of publishing this Notice. Else, further steps will be taken as per the provisions of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date: October 04, 2025
Place: Bangalore

Sincerely Authorised Officer,
For ICICI Bank Ltd.

Form No. URC-2

Advertisement giving notice about registration under Part Iof Chapter XXI
[Pursuant to section 374(b) of the companies Act, 2013 andrule 4(1) of the companies (Authorised to Register) Rules,2014]

1.Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of sub-section (2)of section 366 of the Companies Act, 2013, an application hasbeen made to the Registrar of Companies, CRC Manesar that a partnership firm may be registered under Part I of Chapter XXI of the Companies Act 2013, as a company limited by shares.

2.The principal objects of the company are as follows:
- Wholesale of construction materials (sand, gravel etc.)
- Construction and maintenance of motorways, streets, roads, other vehicular and pedestrian ways, highways, bridges, tunnels and subways.
- Real estate activities on a fee or contract basis

3. A copy of the draft memorandum and articles of associationof the proposed company may be inspected at the registered office at104, 5th Sector, 13th Cross, HSR Layout, Bengaluru-560102, Karnataka.

Notice is hereby given that any person objecting to this application may communicate their objection in writing tothe Registrar of Companies, Bengaluru, Karnataka within twenty one days from the date of publication of this notice, with a copy to the company at its registered office.

Dated this 4th day of October, 2025

Eco Path Innovations LLP
Sd/-
Sourabh Kumar
Designated Partner
DIN :09088525

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PUBLIC NOTICE

TO WHOM SO EVER IT MAY CONCERN

Our clients intending to purchase the property bearing new Municipal No. 81, of NAGAWARA MAIN ROAD, KADUGONDANAHALLI, BANGALORE, (which was having old V. P. No. 5-1/1, Old Khata No. 756, Later No. 755) and which was having BBMP PID No. 9443-81 and now E-Asthi PID No. 2671988652, which is morefully described below in the schedule from1) Mr. K. SALOMON S/o late M. Kannan, aged about 75 years, No. 6, Bethel Cottage, 6th cross, Jasmine Street, Kullappa Circle, St. Thomas Town, Kammana Halli, Bengaluru - 560084, Aadhaar No. 903230389369 and 2) Mr. ABDUL SADIQ BAIG S/o Abdul Tawab, Aged about 55 years, No. 21, 2nd Main, 2nd Cross, 2nd stage Pillanna Garden, Bengaluru - 560045, Aadhar No. 947921072978, No. 2 is the agreement holder to K. Salomon, for valuable consideration.

If any person/persons/company/society having any kind of legal objection to the said transaction shall file details of rights, title and interest along with legal documents pertaining to the schedule property within a period of 7 days from the date of publication of this notification failing to receive after the period our clients will proceed their legal formalities to purchase the schedule property, taking that no person has any kind of legal right over the schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing new Municipal No. 81, of Nagawara Main Road, Kadugondanahalli, Bangalore, (which was having old V. P. No. 5-1/1, Old Khata No. 756, Later No. 755) and which was having BBMP PID No. 9443-81 and now E-Asthi PID No. 2671988652, and the land area is measuring East to West: 50 feet, and North to South: 30 feet, totally measuring about 1500 sq. ft or 139.35 Sq. Mtr., having built up area of 1200 Sq. Ft and the same is bounded on as under: East by : Private Property; West by : Road (Nagawara Main Road -PWD Road); North by : Chuna Abdul Rahman's Property; South by : Kaka Mohammed Kutty's Property.

RIYAZ AHMED SHERIFF, MA,L.L.M
T.C. SHIVA PRASAD
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shadadvocates@gmail.com
Mobile : 9741409224 / 9901051305
Bengaluru Date: 03-10-2025

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PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients are intending to purchase property mentioned at schedule No.1 from **Pukhraj Sutaliya** S/o. Late Premraj Sutaliya & his family members and schedule No.2&3 from **Kusum Devi Sutaliya** W/o Pukhraj Sutaliya both residing at Flat No.2164, Sobha Indraprastha Apartments, Gopalpuram Minerva Mills, Bengaluru - 560023, near Lulu Mall.

If any person, institution, Authority, Company, or any other person are having any rights, claim, or objection to the transaction, they are nearby directed to contact us within **15 days** from the date of publication of this notice, failing, which my client will proceed to complete the sale transaction. Any objections or claims made after the set date will not bind my clients.

SCHEDULE-1

All that peace and parcel of the vacant site and building bearing **number 33,** Converted Sy. No. 9/1, situated in ward No.42, Lakshmidevi Nagar coming under the BBMP limit bearing New EPID Number 5560547154 and property number 66/9/1/33 at **Laggere Village, Yeshawanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Kaveri Nagar,** measuring East to West 40 feet, North to South 60 feet (12.2x18.3mts) area of 223 m² or 2400 ft². Bounded on the : **East by: Site No. 34, West by: Site No. 32/1, North by: Site No 31, South by: Road,**

SCHEDULE-2

All that peace and parcel of the vacant site and building bearing **number 32/1,** Assessment No. 9/1, situated in ward No.42, Lakshmidevi Nagar coming under the BBMP limit bearing New EPID No. 4861622677 and property number 65/9/1/32/1 at **Laggere Village, Yeshawanthapura hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Kaveri Nagar,** measuring East to West, 24 ½ ft, North to South 60 feet (7.5x18.3mts) area of 136.6m² or 1470 ft². Bounded on the :
East by: Site No. 33, West by: Road, North by: Site No 32, South by: Road,

SCHEDULE.3

All that peace and parcel of the vacant site and building bearing **number 32,** Converted Sy. No. 9/1, situated in ward No.42, Lakshmidevi Nagar coming under the BBMP limit bearing old PID No. 2127131660 and property **number 32** at **Laggere Village, Yeshawanthapura hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, 1325, Kaveri Nagar,** measuring East to West, 34.1ft, North to South 5.6 feet (10x2 square mts) area of 17.6m² or 190ft². Bounded on the :
East by: Site No. 31, West by: Road, NORTH by: Remaining portion of Site No 32, South by: Schedule Item No.2

V. Keshavarao Mohite, Advocate
No. 35, Behind Bhupathi Tennis Village, Virupakshapura Bengaluru-97. Ph 9844469408

DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL BANGALORE (DRT-II)
4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajabhavan Road, Bangalore-560001.
O.A. No. 1765/2023

Between
Bank of Baroda
Represented by its Authorised Officer
Mr. Prabeesh .N.K
Bank of Baroda, Rajarajeshwari Nagar, Bangalore-560098.
PAN No. : AAACB1534F
IFSC Code : BARB0VJRNBA
Mobile No. : 8866556911
Email Id : VJRNBA@bankofbaroda.com
.....Applicant

And
Mr. Chethan ..... Defendants

SUMMONS TO ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (viii) OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993 TO THE DEFENDANT NO. 1 THROUGH PAPER PUBLICATION

To,
Mr. Chethan,
S/o. Late Govindraju, # 31, Ground Floor, 1st Cross, 3rd Main, Sai Nisarga Layout, Channasandra, Near RR Temple, Bangalore South, Bangalore-560098.
Defendant

1. Whereas, the applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the defendants for recovery of a sum of **Rs. 38,04,592.11** (Rupees Thirty Eight Lakhs Four Thousand Five Hundrd Nenety Two and Eleven Paise only).

2. The above mentioned Defendant are directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an advocate or duly authorized agent in support of your defence to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication or on **19.01.2026 at 11.00 AM** as to why relief/s prayed should not be granted.

3. Take notice that all in case of default the application will be heard and dete remained in your absence. Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on **11th day of September 2025 at Bangalore.**

By order of Tribunal Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal-II

PUNE MUNCIPAL CORPORATION
CHIEF ENGINEER DEPARTMENT
NOTICE INVITING TENDERS (N.I.T) YEAR 2022-23

Tender Sale Date:- 03-10-2025 14:30 PM to Date 27-10-2025 upto 14:30 PM Bid Submission Start & End Date:- 03-10-2025 14:30 PM to Date 27-10-2025 upto 14:30 PM Technical Envelope Opening Date: 28-10-2025 14:30 PM

Tender No	Name of Department	Name of Work	Cost of Tender Document (Rs.)	Estimated Cost (Rs.)	E.M.D. Amount	work period	Concern Contact Person
366/ 2025	Water Supply	Pune Mahanagarpalikeche vividha jalkendraasathi dravaroop turati Grade V (I.S. 299:2012) nusar puravine (Make - M/s. Vikram Chemicals, M/s. Sark Chemicals, M/s. J.K. Industries Osmanabad, M/s. Thakkar Inorganics, Mumbai).	Rs. 17879/-	Rs. 70873000/-	Rs. 354365/-	12	Sandeep Sapkale 9689931068

A) All details of Terms & Conditions of above works are incorporated in tender documents which is available on website www.mahatenders.gov.in Sale & acceptance is available by online system only. Tender needs to be submit in two envelope format. B) If sales or submission not been available on last day also & it is not been submitted will be sole responsibility of tenderer. C) Online tender process information will be available at Water Supply, Pune Municipal Corporation. D) As per office order No. 32, dated 22/04/2016 EMD deposit amount will be acceptable through ECS/ RTGS/NEFT Online Banking only.

ADVT No : 3/892
Date : 1/10/2025

Shweta Satpute
टेंडर लिपिक
कार्यालय (पाणीपुरवठा)
पुणे महानगरपालिका

Abhijit Sathe (Prabhari)
कार्यकारी अभियंता
कार्यालय (पाणीपुरवठा)
पुणे महानगरपालिका

Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-op Bank Ltd.,

Head Office : B.H. Road, Tumkur-572103, Karnataka,
Phone : 0816-2257636 / 4021102-103, Fax : 0816-2255905,
Email : tgmc.ho@tgmcbank.com, Website: www.tgmcbank.com

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSETS UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002.

Whereas, borrower **(1) Mrs. G Reddy Komala, (2) Mr. Shivashankar D, (3) Mr. Shirdeesh P M S, All are residing at :** No.75/8, 2nd Main, 5th Block, Banashankari 3rd Phase, Bangalore-560085. **Guarantors: (1) Mr. Satish B S/o Ramachandra Rao B, Flat No.504, 4th Floor, Siri Anand Apartment, 6th Main Road, Opp. Axis Bank, Uttarahalli Main Road, Bangalore-560061, (2) Mr. Shivakumar** S/o Narayanaswamy M No. F201, Unique Signature Apartment, Ayappa Temple Road, Byatarayanapura, Bangalore-560092. having failed to repay the debt in respect of borrowing from **TUMKUR GRAIN MERCHANTS CO-OP BANK LTD., Sahakarnagar Branch, Bangalore.** The total amount due and payable by them jointly and severally as per the agreed terms and conditions is **Rs. 3,38,30,000/- (Rupees Three Crore Thirty Eight Lakhs Thirty Thousand Only) as on 30.11.2019,** along with interest at the applicable rate and costs thereon.

Whereas the Bank has issued notice under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (4) of the Act, the Authorized Officer has taken possession of the mortgaged property including those more fully described hereunder on, and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned property under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with the relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Description of Property	Reserve Price (in Rs.)	Earnest Money Deposit (in Rs.)	Date & Time of Auction
All that part and parcel of residential building property bearing No.1613, 35th Cross, BSK 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560070, measuring East to West 22.20+19.5/2 mtr and North to South 10.4+25/2 mts, totally 369.04 sq. mts. and schedule B Property 1100 sq. ft. in Ground Floor and 500 sq. ft. in the First Floor, Constructed there on.Bounded By: East : Property No.1612, West : Road, North : Road, South: Property No.1566/1567. **Latitude Longitude of the property: 12.920886, 77.562444**	Rs. 5,67,00,000/- (Rupees Five Crore Sixty Seven Lakh Only)	Rs. 56,70,000/- (Rupees Fifty Six Lakh Seventy Thousand Only)	04.11.2025 From 11.15 AM to 11.45 AM

This Notice shall also serve as Notice under Sub Rule (6) of Rule 8 / Sub Rule (1) of Rule 9 of Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 to the Borrower/Guarantors.

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to link in **https://www.auctionbazaar.com/** any further clarification contact **Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd., 2nd Floor, 2nd Cross, ESI Road, 4th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore 560010 (Mob: 9880882881, 9449027476).**

The E-auction will be conducted through portal **https://www.auctionbazaar.com/ on 04.11.2025 from 11.15 AM to 11.45 AM** with unlimited extension of 05 minutes. The intending bidder is required to register their name at https://www.auctionbazaar.com/ and get the user Id and password free of cost and get training i.e. online training on E-auction **(tentatively on 03.11.2025)** from **M/s ARCA Emart Pvt. Ltd. (Auction Bazaar), TGMC Ltd., 2nd Floor, 2nd Cross, ESI Road, 4th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore 560010, Contact No. : 7799728999, 8370969696, E-mail: disposal.karnataka@auctionbazaar.com**

Date : 03.10.2025
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
TUMKUR GRAIN MERCHANTS CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.,

MAHILA CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.

A.O. # 14, South End Road, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore - 560020.

Notice of Sale Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules-2002, framed under the Securitization and Reconstruction of financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002

Public-auction Sale Notice for sale of immovable Assets under The Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with the proviso of Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the borrower (s) mentioned below that the below described immovable property mortgaged/Charged to the Secured Creditor, the Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the **Mahila Co-Operative Bank Ltd.**, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is Where is"**, **"As is What is"**, and **"Whatever there is"** basis, on belong mentioned date for recovery of the dues mentioned below together with future interest and legal/other expenses due to the Bank/Secured Creditor from respective borrowers. The Reserve Price for Property, the earnest money deposit (EMD) and last date of deposit of EMD etc., are given below.

Sl No.	Name and Address of the borrower / Co-borrower	Amount due excluding subsequent interest as on date plus cost and expenses	Reserve Price Earnest Money deposit	Details of the A/c where EMD to be deposited	Secured Properties and Boundaries	Date of E Auction and Time	Last Date of Deposit of EMD
1	**Sri. A Venugopal S/o Late Armugam** No.16, 5th Cross, Near Santhosh Gym, Shivanandanagara, Moodalapalya, Bengaluru-560072. **Guarantor(s)** **1. Smt. Kuppamma W/o Late Armugam** No.16, 5th Cross, Near Santhosh Gym, Shivanandanagara, Moodalapalya, Bengaluru-560 072. **2. Smt. A Geetha, W/o K S Mohan,** No.78/3, 4th Cross, Srirampura, Bengaluru-560021. **3. Smt. A Manjula, W/o Prabhakar P,** No.16, 5th Cross, Near Santhosh Gym, Shivanandanagara, Moodalapalya, Bengaluru-560072. **4. Sri.B S Manjunath, S/o Siddaiah B,** No.486/A, 1st Main Road, New Binny Layout, Bengaluru-560023.	Rs.46,71,195/- (Rupees Forty Six Lakhs Seventy One Thousand One Hundred and Ninty Five Only) as on 30.09.2025 and future interest and other charges from 01.10.2025	Rs.68,50,000/- EMD Rs.6,85,000/-	A/c Name: Mahila Co-operative Bank Limited A/c No.: 89390200000832 Bank Name: Bank of Baroda Branch: Malleswaram Bangelore IFSC CODE: BARBOVJMAWA	All that piece and parcel of Immovable property being land with residential building bearing Present Corporation No.16 registered in PID No.35-164-16, Old Western portion of No.16 in Assessment No.44 of Nagarabhavi Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, presently situated at 5th Cross, Shivanandanagara, Bengaluru City, BBMP Ward No.126(Old Ward No.35), Benagluru, **Measuring:** East to West 30'-0"Fts and North to South 30'-0"Fts, having a total extent of 900 square feets and **Bounded on the**: East by: : Eastern portion Property No.6, West by: Road, North by: Property No.5, South by : Property No.7.	07.11.2025 from 11.00 AM to 12.00 PM	06.11.2025 Time: 04.00 PM

Statutory 30 days sale notice under Rule 8(6) of the SARFAESI act, 2002: The borrower/guarantors are hereby notified to pay the dues as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of Public-Auction, failing which the property will be auctioned/sold for recovery of above said amounts and under Section 13(7) of the SARFAESI Act amended as on date and if repayment is made as above the property not put-up for sale.

TERMS & CONDITIONS: 1. To participate in the Auction, intending bidders have to deposit 10% of the reserve price as mentioned above as refundable EMD in the form of PO/DD/ Banker's Cheque/RTGS of a Scheduled Bank favouring as shown above, before the time and dates specified above. EMD will not carry any interest. **2.** The successful bidder should pay 25% of the bid amount (inclusive of EMD) immediately on the same day by NEFT/RTGS favouring in the above mentioned A/c No, and balance 75% of the bid amount within 15 days thereafter of sale or within such extended period as agreed upon in writing by and solely at the discretion of the concerned Authorized Officer. If the successful bidder defaults in effecting payment or fails to adhere to the terms of Sale in any manner, the amount already deposited will be forfeited and he/she shall not have any claim on such forfeited amount or to the property, which shall be sold subsequently.

For more quires contact: Krishna, Ph No.9880453464.

Date: 04.10.2025
Place: Bangalore

Authorised Officer
Mahila Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Bangalore

THE HUTTI GOLD MINES COMPANY LIMITED

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
Hutti - 584 115, Raichur Dist., Karnataka State. Phone: 08537-276339
e-Mail: material276339@gmail.com website: www.huttigold.karnataka.gov.in
T.NO.14/25-26 No. HGML/2025-26/PREQUAL_TENDER_NUMBER_1
Date : 04.10.2025

Tender Notification: Invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI)

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) for Conducting Comprehensive Security Audit of HGML Facilities
Interested consultant/consultancy, firm/individual consultants shall visit the link **https://www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** for necessary details like General conditions, eligibility criteria, etc., The interested agencies need to register with Kpp Portal GOK, for participating EOI.
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS : Pre-bid meeting (Zoom) : **11.10.2025 at 10.30 AM.** Last date for receipt of bid : **29.10.2025 at 4.00 PM.** Date & Time for Opening of EOI bid : **31.10.2025 at 10.00 AM.**

Sd/- Senior Manager (Materials)

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CITY CORPORATION VIJAYAPUR

No:CCV/PWD/EE/DMA/TND/E-proc/2025-26 Dated:30.09.2025

E-PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTIFICATION

Executive Engineer, City Corporation Vijayapur invites tenders from eligible tenders registered in KPWD for the 1) 01 work under 15th Finance NMPC Fund 2020-21 and 2) 01 works 15th Finance Grant 2023-24, 3) 01 works under (SBM-1, 15th Finance Grant 2023-24, 15th Finance Grant 2024-25 Savings Fund), 4) 01 works under SBM-2 Fund 2024-25 5) 02 works under 15th Finance Grant 2025-26, 6) 01 work under %24.10, %7.25 & %5 Corporation Fund 2024-25 (rate Quotation), 7) 01 works under SFC (SCSP) Fund 2025-26 (Rate Quotation), 8) 01 work under %24.10, %7.25 & %5 Corporation Fund 2025-26 (Rate Quotation), 9) 10 works under Amruth 2.0 Fund 2025-26, 10) 01 work under General Fund 2025-26. Tenders are called in standard tender document through E-Procurement portal. For further details visit online web site **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**.
Note: 1) Tender Corrigendum and Addendum will be issued in kppp.karnataka.gov.in portal
1)Last date for Tender submission:16.10.2025

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
City Corporation, Vijayapur

ವಾಸಾಸಂಇ/ವಿಜಯಪುರ/373/ಕೆಎಸ್ಎಂಸಿಎ/2025–26

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ನೀರಾವರಿ ನಿಗಮ ನಿಯಮಿತ
(ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಉದ್ಯಮ)
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರ ಕಛೇರಿ ಘಟಪ್ರಭಾ ಎಡದಂಡೆ ಕಾಲುವೆ ವಿಭಾಗ ನಂ–2 ಜಮಖಂಡಿ.

ಸಂ: ಘ.ಎ.ದಂ.ಕಾ./ವಿ–2/ಪಿಬಿ/2025–26/802 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 30.09.2025

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಮಾನ್ಯ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥಾಪಕ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು, ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ನೀರಾವರಿ ನಿಗಮ ನಿಯಮಿತ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಇವರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರಕಾರದ ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಿಂದ ನೊಂದಾಯಿತ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು, ಜಿಎಲ್‌ಬಿಸಿ ವಿಭಾಗ ನಂ. 2 ಜಮಖಂಡಿ ಕಚೇರಿ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ Standard Tender Document/ Works / (KW- 1, KW- 2 & KW- 3) ಏಕ / ದ್ವಿ ಲಕೋಟೆ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಂತೆ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಟೆಂಡರನ್ನು ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತೆ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಕ್ರ.ಸಂ	ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ	ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ. ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಲ್ಲಿ
1	KNNL/2025-26/BR/ WORK_INDENT 3033 Call-3	15.25
2	KNNL/2025-26/CN/ WORK_INDENT 3043 Call-2	12.70
3	KNNL/2025-26/BR/ WORK_INDENT 3034 Call-2	15.24
4	KNNL/2025-26/BR/ WORK_INDENT 3036 Call-2	9.32
5	KNNL/2025-26/BR/ WORK_INDENT 3047 Call-2	8.47
6	KNNL/2025-26/CN/ WORK_INDENT 3046 Call-2	16.94
7	KNNL/2025-26/BR/ WORK_INDENT 3037 Call-2	12.70
8	KNNL/2025-26/BR/WORK_INDENT 3235	42.35
9	KNNL/2025-26/CN/ WORK_INDENT 3101 Call-2	50.83

1.ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರ ಕ್ಯೂರೀಸ್ ದಿನಾಂಕ KPP Portal ನಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವಂತೆ. 2. ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗೆ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಮತ್ತು ಟೆಂಡರ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 10.10.2025 [16.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ]. 3. KPP Portal ಮುಖಾಂತರ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ / ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 13.10.2025 [11.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ].
NOTE: ಕಾರಣಾಂತರಗಳಿಂದ ಮೇಲೆ ತಿಳಿಸಿದ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಿನಾಂಕಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಇತರೆ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಗಳಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು KPP Portal ನಲ್ಲಿ ನೋಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದು.

ಸಹಿ/–ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು
ಘ.ಎ.ದಂ ಕಾಲುವೆ ವಿಭಾಗ ನಂ–2, ಜಮಖಂಡಿ

DIPR/BGK/RO-NO-317/KSMCA/2025-26

CAUVERI NEERAVARY NIGAMA LIMITED

(Govt of Karnataka Under taking)
Office of the Executive Engineer,
CNNL, Harangi Canal Division, SALIGRAMA-571604,
Tq K.R.Nagar , Dt: Mysore
Phone No: 08223 – 283338

No/EE/HCD/PB/Tender Notification-10/2025-26
Date: 22.09.2025

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION NO.: 10/2025-26
Dated: 22-09-2025

(Through KPPP Portal Only)-Short term)

Item Rate tenders are invited on e-procurement basis by the Executive Engineer, Harangi Canal Division, Saligrama, Saligrama Taluk, Mysuru District on behalf of the Managing Director, CNNL, Bangalore from eligible contractors for the following works. 1) Construction of New Aqueduct parallel to the Existing Aqueduct at Ch.14th Km of Chamaraja Right Bank Canal (CRBC) K R Nagar Taluk, Mysore District (3950) Approx. amount put to tender Rs.1208.27 lakhs, **2)** Modernisation of chamalapura branch canal, kaggere branch canal and bannikuppe branch canal under Ramasamudra canal (3951) Approx. amount put to tender Rs.3581.45 lakhs, **3)** Modernisation of Krishna Raja Nagara Branch Canal by Providing Cement Concrete Lining,(3967) Approx. amount put to tender Rs.8948.75 lakhs, The contractors can have access/download e-procurement tender document from 26-09-2025 onwards and last date to submitt the filled tender document is 15-09-2025 till 4.00 PM. Technical bid will be opened 16-09-2025 at 4.30 PM onwards and Financial bid will be opened on after Approval of the Technical Bid. All the information is available on e-procurement portal web-site address https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in Tender processing fee as stipulated in the e-procurement portal is applicable for the work and stipulated period for completion of the work is 15 Months, 18 months & 24 months respectively (Including monsoon season, watering period) Additional information can be obtained from the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Harangi Canal Division,
Saligrama, Mysore District - 571604

DIPR/DDMYS/1031/KSMCA/556/2025-26

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform and circulate amongst the General Public that, my clients, **(1) CHITRA BHANSALI** W/o Padamchand Bhansali, and **(2) SOURABH BHANSALI**, S/o Padamchand Bhansali, are intending to mortgage their Property which is morefully mentioned in the schedule of this notice, are proceeding to complete the mortgage with M/s DCB Bank Limited. Should any person/s, body/ies having any right, title, interest or claim in the schedule property, he/they may present so in writing, before me the undersigned advocate, on or before 10th DAY OF OCTOBER 2025. Encumbrances or claim if any shall stand extinguished if no claim/s is laid within the given time.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the non-residential unit bearing Private unit No.SF-15, presently Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Ward No.109, Chikkapete Sub-Division, Bangalore, and the said BBMP has the property with Municipal New No.210/1-75, Old Tharagupet, Bnaggalore, with PID No.28-185-210/1-75, situated on the Second Floor of "Sharief & Jain Tower" situated in the property measuring about 2210.100 Sq.ft., along with about 991.660 Sq.ft., of common area, with a total super built-up area of about 3201.700 Sq.ft., together with undivided right, title, interest and share to the extent of about 455.262 Sq.ft., in the sital area of the property and the unit bound on the: East by : Private Property, West by : Corridors and Shops bearing Nos.SF-13 & SF-14, North by : Private Property, South by : Corridor and Private Property.

JAY KISHAN SHARMA, Advocate
No.70/2-1, 8th Cross, Ashok Nagar, BSK 1st Stage, 2nd Block, Bangalore -560050.
Mobile:9008224365, Date:04-10-2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public and financial institutions in general are hereby notified that my client intends to purchase the Schedule Property from Sri M V Narayana S/o M V S Chari. Inter alia, he has represented that he is the sole and absolute owner in possession and enjoyment of the Schedule Property, the same is his self acquired property having having purchased by him under a registered Sale Deed dated 15/11/1985, that the same is free from all kinds of encumbrances, charges, interest of minors, pre-emption rights, acquisition proceedings, litigations, and prohibitory orders etc.

Any person/s, having any valid/ tenable, subsisting right, title, interest, charge or claims in or over or against the Schedule Property or any portion thereof or on the title deeds or having valid objection, if any, for the intended sale of the Schedule Property by the said M V Narayana in favor of my client shall lodge their claim/objections in writing along-with supporting documents, if any, with the under-mentioned **within 10 days** from the date of publication of this notice. If no claims or objections are received within the stipulated time, my client will proceed to complete the sale and registration formalities. Belated claims or objections shall not be binding on my client and are liable to be ignored.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Agricultural Dry land measuring an extent of 2.00.00.00 Acres, excluding Kharab 0.01.00.00 Gunta, out of land bearing Sy. No. 43/1 of THAMMENAHALLI VILLAGE, Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk and bounded on the: **East by:** Re-Sy. No.52, **West by:** Re-Sy. No.42, **North by:** Sasveghatta & Soladevanahalli Village boundary, **South by:** remaining land in same Sy. No.43/1 belongs to Sunita B.

SHANMUKHA SAMPIGE, Advocate,
11, 60 feet Road, MSPP Layout,
Soladevanahalli, BENGALURU- 560107
E-mail: ssampige@zohomail.in
Mobile: (+91) 99644 97886
Date: 03/10/2025

RAIL WHEEL FACTORY

YELAHANKA,
BENGALURU – 560 064.
Website: www.rwf.indianrailways.gov.in

TENDER NOTICE NO. RWF/S/146/ 2025-26/04 Dated: 29.09.2025

On behalf of the President of India, **The Principal Chief Materials Manager/RWF** invites electronic tender for the following work through the website **http://www.ireps.gov.in** from experienced/reputed contractors in the field.

Tender No. RWFSTPT_FW_2nd Slab_ 25-26
Scope of Work: For details refer RWF and IREPS website.
Distance Slab: Above 500Kms & upto 1000kms
Estimated Tender Value: Rs.83,79,000/-
EMD: Rs.1,67,600/-
Contract Period: Minimum 12 months from the date of issue of Letter of Acceptance.

Closing Date & Time for Tenders: 17.10.2025 at 14.15 Hrs.

Principal Chief Materials Manager

QuoteExpress
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BENJAMIN DISRAELI

WESTERN RAILWAY

VARIOUS WORK

Dy. Chief Electrical Engineer (Construction) Western Railway DRM's Office, Annex Building 3rd Floor Do-Batti RATLAM (M.P.) 457001. Invites **E-Tender Notice No: EL-C-RTM-2025-04-T, Date: 30.09.2025. Name of Work**: Design, supply, erection, testing & commissioning of 132 KV EHV 3Ø, S/C transmission line on double circuit tower from 132KV MPPTCL sub-station at Simrol, to Railway TSS at Ambedkar Nagar & 132KV bay extension work at Simrol sub-station in connection with Dhar - Indore new B.G. line in Ratlam division of Western Railway. **Approx Value**: ₹ 9,71,29,932.64. **Bid Deposit**: ₹ 6,35,700/-. **Online Bidding Start Date**: Till 10.10.2025. **Tender Closing Date**: On 24.10.2025 upto 15:30 hrs during the working hours in person or at office telephone No. 07412 233996; contact E-mail: **dyceecrtm@gmail.com** For further details please visit our website **www.ireps.gov.in** 0673

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The Brihanmumbai Electric Supply & Transport Undertaking

(OF THE BRIHANMUMBAI MAHANAGARPALIKA)

TENDER NOTICE

E-tender re-invited for the supply of following item.

(1) 80637.

Note: For more details, log on to website **https://mahatenders.gov.in**

PRO/AAM(M)/67/2025 **GENERAL MANAGER**

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919

E-Tender No.: KPCL/2025-26/SE0293 Date: 03.10.2025

SHORT-TERM ABSTRACT BID NOTIFICATION

(QCBS Two Cover System) (Through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal (KPPP) only)
Tenders are invited from experienced and reputed consulting engineering firms with relevant technical experience and managerial competence for the work of **"Appointment of Consultant for carrying out DGPS Survey and Construction of Boundary Pillars of Coal Block Boundary as per Notification of Ministry of Mines/Coal, Govt. of India and Forest Patches including Safety Zone (If any) (As per MoEF&CC/Government of Chhattisgarh) of Durgapur-II/ Taraimar and Durgapur-II/Sarya Coal Block at Dharamjaigarh Tehsil of Raigarh District, Chhattisgarh State".** The last date for receipt of the completed bids is **up to 17.00 hrs. on 10.10.2025.** The brief bid notification containing Pre-qualification criteria for the bidders, EMD, calendar of events and bid activities and other details can be accessed from KPP Portal, Karnataka Government. The tender document can be downloaded from the website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** Further details can be had from the Office of the Chief Engineer (Mines), KPCL, No. 82, 3rd Floor, Race Course Road, Bengaluru-560001. E-mail: **semineskpcl@gmai.com** Telefax: 080-22203894, Mob: 9449598901, website: **www.kpcl.karnataka.gov.in** KPP portal helpdesk: +91-8046010000; +91-8068948777

भारत सरकार / GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, अंतरिक्ष विभाग / DEPARTMENT OF SPACE
विक्रम साराभाई अंतरिक्ष केंद्र / VIKRAM SARABHAI SPACE CENTRE
निर्माण एवं अनुरक्षण ग्रूप / CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE GROUP
तिरुवनंतपुरम / THIRUVANANTHAPURAM – 22 / (फोन नं. / Ph. No. 0471 – 2564568 / 5669 / 4537)

दिनांक/Dated : 30-09-2025

ई-निविदा आमंत्रित करते हुए संक्षिप्त सूचना / BRIEF NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER

भारत के राष्ट्रपति की ओर से निम्नलिखित कार्यों के लिए ई-टेंडरिंग द्वारा ऑनलाइन मद-दर निविदाएं आमंत्रित की जाती हैं। On behalf of the President of India, online item-rate tenders are invited through E-tendering for the following works.

1. टर्ल्स, वीएसएससी, तुंबा में अंतरिक्ष ऑर्डनेंस परीक्षण एवं मूल्यांकन के लिए पाइरो परीक्षण स्थल का संवर्धन (सिविल कार्य) / Augmentation of Pyro test site for Space Ordnance Test and Evaluation at TERLS, VSSC, Thumba (Civil works)/ **NIT No. VSSC/CMG/C01/14/2025-26 Dt. 29.09.2025 (पी.ए.सी./P.A.C: ₹ 103.80 लाख/Lakhs)**
2. सीएमएसई आबद्ध भंडार, वट्टीयुरकावु के भवन सं. पी–46 में इस्पात कैंचीनुमा संरचना का आपरिवर्तन तथा रुफिंग शीट के प्रतिस्थापन (सिविल कार्य) / Modification of structural steel truss and roofing sheet replacement in building No. P-46 at CMSE Bonded Store, Vattiyoorkavu (Civil works)/ **NIT No. VSSC/CMG/C01/15/2025-26 Dt. 29.09.2025, (पी.ए.सी./P.A.C: ₹ 82.59 लाख/Lakhs)**

डाउनलोड करने की अवधि / Period for downloading : दिनांक 03.10.2025, 10.00 बजे/hrs. से/to दिनांक 17.10.2025, 23.00 बजे/hrs.

इच्छुक निविदाकार ब्यौरों के लिए www.tenderwizard.in/isro या www.isro.gov.in देखें। Interested tenderers may visit www.tenderwizard.in/isro or www.isro.gov.in for details.

Sd/- ग्रुप निदेशक / Group Director, सीएमजी, वीएसएससी / CMG,VSSC

BANK OF INDIA, Virgonagar Branch

बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया Bank of India BOI

Village Avalahalli, Virgonagar Post, Bangalore East Taluka, Bangalore 560 049,
Ph: 080 -28472770/771, Email: virgonagar.Bengaluru@bankofindia.com

GOLD AUCTION SALE NOTICE

The under mentioned persons are hereby informed that they have failed to pay off the liability in the loan accounts. Notices sent to them by registered post. They are therefore requested to payoff the liability, other charges and to redeem the pledged gold ornaments securities on or before **17-10-2025** failing which the said securities will be sold by the bank in public auction at the cost of the borrower at the bank's premises at **11 AM on 18-10-2025** or any other convenient date without further notice, at the absolute discretion of the bank.

S. No.	Borrower Name and Address	Account Number	Gross Weight	Net Weight	Outstanding Balance	Details of the Item
1.	**Mrs. Vasantha Kumari C** (Customer Id - 300388414) W/o Muruli C K, No 19 2nd Floor 9th Cross, Prakruthi Layout Hennur, Near Anweshana School, Bangalore - 560043	A/c No: 840377610012713	313.5	289.5	Rs. 15,68,572.25 + up to date interest	3 Bangles + 7rings 2 Hara+ 2 Necklace 1 Row chain 8 pair tops+1 pendant One pair top set
2.	**Mr. Ratnaraj Jena** (Customer Id -202366136) No 917 1st Cross Janatha Colony, Near Toyota Showroom Avalahalli, Bangalore - 560049	A/C No.: 840377610012456	27.8	25	Rs. 81,851.28 + up to date interest	1 Matilla+ 1 pair stud + 1 chain, 1 Necklace

Place: Virgonagar
Date : 03.10.2025

Sd/-,
Authorised Officer, Bank of India

Motilal Oswal Home Finance Limited

Regd. Office: Motilal Oswal Tower, Rahimtullah Sayani Road,Opp. Parel ST Depot, Prabhadevi, Mumbai - 400 025,
CS : 8291889898 **Website**: www.motilaloswalhf.com, **Email:** hfquery@motilaloswal.com

POSSESSION NOTICE (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY/IES)

(UNDER RULE 8 (1) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002)

Whereas the undersigned being the authorized officer of Motilal Oswal Home Finance Limited, (Formally known as Aspire Home Finance Corporation Ltd), under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002), and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notice dated mentioned hereunder calling upon the following borrowers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being also mentioned hereunder within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
The following borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the following borrowers and the public in general that undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub section (4) of section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on the date mentioned hereunder.

Sr No	Loan Agreement No. / Name Of The Borrower/ Co Borrower/Guarantor	Date of Demand Notice & Outstanding	Date Of Possession Taken	Description Of The Immovable Property : All That Part And Parcel Of Proprty Consiting Of Property Address
1	**LXMOBANGAL5523-240700424/ LXMOBANGAL5523-240699977 / Borrower: Deepika Madhavareddy Co-Borrower: Janardhana Venkataswamy**	**14-07-2025 For Rs.4688056/-**	29-09-2025	Property No. 437 3rd Cross Chennakeshava Nagara Sy. No. 42, Area Ad Measuring 600 Sq.ft., Singasandra Village Begur Hobli Bengaluru South Taluk, Singasandra Village 560068 Bengaluru Karnataka East-Property Belongs To Thimmegowda West-Road North-Site No. 437 South-Site No. 438

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the Charge of Motilal Oswal Home Finance Limited for an amount mentioned herein above and interest thereon. The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Place : Karnataka
Date : 04.10.2025

Sd/-,Authorized Officer
(Motilal Oswal Home Finance Limited)

YES BANK LIMITED

YES BANK **Regd. & Corporate Office:** Yes Bank House, Off Western Express Highway, Santacruz East, Mumbai 400055.
CIN: L65190MH2003PLC143249, **E-mail:** communications@yesbank.in, **Website:** www.yesbank.in

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE U/S 13 (2) OF THE SARFAESI ACT

Notice is hereby given that the under mentioned borrower(s)/ guarantor(s)/mortgagor(s) who have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the Overdraft facilities obtained by them from the Bank and whose facility account has been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). The notices were issued to them under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (SARFAESI Act) on their last known addresses but they have been returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.1	Agreement No. MOR002200270857 & MOR002200862863	Type of Loan: LAP	O/s. As per 13(2) Notice: Rs. 11,88,164.54/-	NPA Date: 13-06-2025	Notice Date: 23-9-2025

Name of Borrowers, co-borrowers, guarantors, Mortgagors: 1.Mrs.B V Latha 2. Mr. N Ramakrishna 3.Mr. Santosh R
Details of secured asset : All that piece and pracel of property bearing Site No.1/C BBMP Municipal No.5/2, PID No.77-77-5/2 siatuted at 13th Block Kumara Park West extension Bangalore measuring East to West 77+63/2 Sqft and North to South 40 feet totally measuring 2800Sqft and **bounded as on follows:** East by : Proposed Road, West by : Site No.5, Noth by : Proposed Road, South by : Site No.1/D.

The above borrowers and/or their guarantors(s)/mortgaror(s) (whenever applicable) are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of said 60 days under sub-Section (4) of Section 13 of SARFAESI Act.
Furthermore, this is to bring to your attention that under Section 13(8) of the SARFAESI Act, in case our dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by us are tendered at any time before the date fixed for sale or transfer, the securd asset shall not be sold or transferred by us, and no further step shall be taken by us for transfer or sale of that secured asset.

Date: 04-10-2025
Place: Bangalore

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
For YES BANK Limited

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
MINOR IRRIGATION & GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, M.I. & G.W.D. DIVISION, KALABURAGI
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IFT No. EE/MI &GWD D/KAL/PB-3/2025-26/2591 DATED : 03-10-2025

-: SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (IFT KW-4) :-

1) Detail of Work: THE EXEUCTIVE ENGINEER, M.I. & G.W.D. DIVISION, KALABURAGI INVITES TENDER FROM THE ELIGIBLE TENDERERS FOR THE WORK UNDER 4702 NEW TANK FOR THE YEAR 2024-25, 2) Amount of Estimate : **Rs. 257,74,815.12,** 3) Eligibility of Contractor : Class-II & Above, 4) Details of Tender Application Amount and EMD Amount: Tender Fee As Per KPP Portal E.M.D. Rs. 3,87,000.00, 5) Last Date & Time for Tender Queries/ Clarifications: **23-10-2025 Upto 11.00 Hours,** 6) Last Date & Time for Receipt of Tenders: **24-10-2025 Up to 17.30 Hours**, 7) Date & Time for Opening of Technical Bid: **27-10-2025 Up to 17.30 Hours**, 8) Date & Time for Opening of Financial Bid: **28-10-2025 Up to 11.00 Hours,** 9) Addl. information: Executive Engineer, M.I. & G.W.D. Division, Kalaburagi, 10) Address of E-Portal: **(https:// kppp.Karnataka.gov.in)**

Sd/- Executive Engineer
Minor Irrigation & Ground Water Development Division, Kalaburagi

DIPR/Kalaburagi/593/KSMC&A/2025-26

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APPENDIX-IV-A
[See proviso to rule 8(6)]
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E-Auction 15 days Sale Notice for sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and the Borrowers/Mortgagers in particular that the below described immovable propertymortgagedto the Secured creditor, State Bank of India, the Physical possession of which have been taken by the Authorised Officer, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis on **23.10.2025** for recovery of **Rs. 61,38,855/-** (Sixty One lakhs Thirty Eight Thousand Eight Hundred and /fifty Fiveonly) as on 29.09.2025 and further interest at contractual rate from 30.09.2025 with incidental expenses, costs due to State Bank of India, Secured creditors from **Mrs.Sushma H Prasad.**
The reserve price, earnest money deposit, bid increment amount and last date for receipt of EMD will be as under: -

Reserve Price (Below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment amount	Time of e-Auction of Property	Last date for submission of EMD along with KYC documents
Rs.36,00,000/-	Rs.3,60,000/-	Rs.18,000/-	11.00 a.m. to 16.00 p.m.on 23.10.2025	On or before 22.10.2025 up to 16.00 P.M.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Tender No: SBI/SARB/2025-26/NV/126
Title deed holders: Mrs. Sushma H Prasad.
Absolute Sale Deed No.CMP-1-00964-2020-21, CD No. CMPD580, Dated:30.06.2020, SRO: Basavanagudi, (Chamrajpet), Bengaluru.
SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY: (Entire Property): All that property available within the four boundaries detailed below and measuring 03 Acres 20 Guntas in presently bearing Sy.No.30/1A1A3, Old Sy.No.30/1A1A, (earlier Sy.No.30/P5, previously identified as Sy.No.30), situated in Chikkanagamangala Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk duly converted for non-agricultural Hitech/Industrial use vide Official Memorandum bearing No.ALN.(AS)SR.211/2009-10, dated 23/10/2009 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District, Bengaluru later converted to Non-Agricultural Residential Use vide official Memorandum bearing BDA/NOC/CLU/14/09-10/1289/2010-11 issued by the Commissioner Bangalore Development Authority and bounded by East by: Property in Sy.No.29 and Panchayath Road, West by: Property in Sy.No.30/1A1A1, North by: Property in Sy.No.29 and South by: Property in Sy.No.30/1A1A2.
SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY: (Property hereby sold to the purchasers): 324 Sq.ft or 30.10 Sq.Mtrs of Undivided share, right, title and interest and ownership in the land in Schedule 'A' Property.
Schedule – 'C' Property (Description of the Flat hereby conveyed)
All that Residential Apartment bearing Flat No.1B04, FIRST FLOOR at "B" Block of "SHANDERS DWELLINGTON" built in Schedule 'A' Property, Presently Property comes under Shanthipura Grama Panchayath, as assigned Grama Paanchayath E-Khata No.150200100500621916 and apartment measuring 875 Square feet or 81.29 Square Meter of super built-up area inclusive of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use approximately with the right to use One Covered Car Parking space in 1B04 in Ground Floor with club membership, KEB & BWSSB charges, (which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and walls the apartments and the common area attributable thereto) and other areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use, in Schedule 'A' Property and the Apartment is bounded by: East by: Entrance Lobby, West by: Cut out and Thereafter Flat No.A05 on the same floor, North by: Cut out and Thereafter Flat No.B05 on the same floor and South by: Cut out and thereafter Flat No.B03 on the same floor standing in the name of Ms.Sushma H Prasad.

To the best of knowledge of the Authorised officer, there is no encumbrance on above property For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided by the Authorised Officer, State Bank of India, Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, Bengaluru i.e..,www.sbi.co.in and website maintained by PSB Alliance Pvt Ltd, https://ebkray.in

Date: 03.10.2025
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
State Bank of India,
Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, Bengaluru

Government of Karnataka
KARNATAKA EXAMINATIONS AUTHORITY

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No: ED/KEA/ADMN/PGNEET MD-MS/2025 **Date: 03-10-2025**

NOTIFICATION : PGET-2025 - ADMISSION TO POST GRADUATE MEDICAL COURSES FOR THE YEAR 2025-26 IN THE STATE OF KARNATAKA AND ADMISSION TO IN-SERVICE SEATS OF DNB (PRIMARY AND SECONDARY) AND DIPLOMA (NBEMS)

1) KEA is inviting applications online for admissions to PG Medical courses from the eligible candidates who have qualified in **NEET-PG-2025** for the year 2025-26 for the available PG Medical Degree / Diploma Courses in Government Medical Colleges, Government Quota seats in Private and Minority Medical Colleges and Private Seats in Private Medical Colleges (KPCF, KRLMPCA, AMPCK and Private Universities) located in the State of Karnataka for the Academic year 2025-26.
2) As per Government Order No. HFW 882 HSH 2021 Bangalore Dated: 10-01-2022, KEA is also inviting application online from the eligible Karnataka in-service candidates who have qualified in NEET-PG-2025 and desirous of applying DNB / Diploma Courses in the State of Karnataka for the Academic year 2025-26.
3) The candidates who have obtained more than or equal to the prescribed minimum 50th percentile in NEET PG 2025 only are eligible to register and apply online for PG Medical Courses for the year 2025-26.
4) Non-Karnataka candidates will not be eligible for reservation. Hence, in the NEET-PG 2025 examination, if they have scored the required minimum 50th percentile or above, fixed for 'GENERAL (UR)' category as per the qualifying criteria, then only they are eligible to register for admissions through KEA or for any other seats in the State of Karnataka. **Please note that SC / ST / OBC eligibility criteria are applicable to Karnataka SC / ST / OBC candidates only.**
5) Interested and eligible candidates can register, apply online and pay the fees for admission to Karnataka PG Medical Degree and Diploma Courses **from 11.00 AM on 04-10-2025 upto 11.00 AM on 09-10-2025.**
6) Registration fee, details of document verification, original documents to be submitted for document verification, and other details have been published on the KEA Website. Interested and eligible candidates can register by selecting the specified link on the KEA Website apply online and appear for document verification on the specified dates as per their eligibility.
7) Information Bulletin - 2025 detailing admission eligibility criteria and other details are hosted on the KEA Website: **https://cetonline.karnataka.gov.in/KEA/pgetmed2025** for the information of the candidates. Before registering through online for admission to PG Medical courses in the State of Karnataka, applicants are hereby informed to read the Information Bulletin PGNEET - 2025 and understand the eligibility conditions, educational qualification, classification of seats (different types of category of seats) procedure for conduct of online seat allotment and eligibility to claim such seats.
8) Mere qualifying in NEET-PG 2025 does not confer any right on the candidate for admission unless the candidate fulfils eligibility conditions / submits the documents / certificates. Further, only the candidates who complete the registration process including document verification are eligible for PG Medical seats in Government / Private Colleges in Karnataka.
9) For more details please visit KEA Website: **https://cetonline.karnataka.gov.in/KEA/pgetmed2025**

NOTE: As per NMC, New Delhi letter dated 24-07-2023; all the rounds of counseling including Stray Vacancy Round will be conducted only by KEA in online mode, all the PG NEET qualified candidates are hereby advised to register online and complete the document verification process in KEA to become eligible for admission to PG Medical Courses in the State of Karnataka.

Sd/-
(H. Prasanna, IAS)
Executive Director

DIPR/CP/3029/2025-26

OP NANHEY FARISTEY

The Railway Protection Force has rescued five children, including three girls, from railway stations and a train within the jurisdiction of Eastern Railway under 'Operation Nanhey Faristey.

18 HURT — AS BUS OVERTURNS ON HIGHWAY IN UP'S SULTANPUR

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	31	24	Mumbai	28	26
Bhopal	30	22	Panaji	30	25
Jaipur	32	24	Patna	26	25
Amritsar	32	23	Lucknow	28	24
Chennai	32	26	Port Blair	29	26
Kolkata	31	28	Imphal	28	22
Srinagar	22	10	Chandigarh	33	21

• Five lakh graduates from poll-bound state to get ₹1K a month • Cong panel analysing PDF files on rolls • RJD may get Bumihars' support

Focus on Bihar as Modi set to unveil ₹62K cr schemes

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

AHEAD of the announcement of Bihar Legislative Assembly election dates by the Election Commission on Monday or Tuesday, Prime Minister Narendra Modi is set to launch several youth-focused initiatives, including schemes specifically for Bihar, worth ₹62,000 crore, on Saturday.

He will inaugurate the revamped Mukhyamantri Nishchay Swayam Sahayata Bhatta Yojana in Bihar, which will provide a monthly allowance of ₹1,000 for two years to nearly five lakh graduate youths. In a landmark step for skill development, Modi will also inaugurate the Jan Nayak Karpoori Thakur Skill University, aimed at promoting industry-oriented courses and vocational education.

On the educational infrastructure front, the Prime Minister will lay the foundation stone for new academic and research facilities in four universities—Patna University, Bhupendra Narayan Mandal University in Madhepura, Jai Prakash Vishwavidyalaya in Chapra, and Nalanda Open University in Patna—under the PM-USHA scheme. These projects, with a total allocation of ₹160 crore, are expected to benefit over 27,000 students by providing modern academic infrastructure, advanced laboratories, hostels, and multidisciplinary learning facilities.

4K govt job letters to be distributed in manpower push

Over 4,000 government appointment letters will be distributed, and ₹450 crore in scholarships will be released to 25 lakh students under the Mukhyamantri Balak/Balika Scholarship Scheme. With these initiatives, the BJP expects Bihar to become a hub for skilled manpower, supporting both regional and national development.

PM Modi will also dedicate the Bihta campus of NIT Patna to the nation. The campus now has the capacity to accommodate 6,500 students and includes a Regional Academic Centre for Space, established in collaboration with ISRO, as well as an Innovation and Incubation Centre, which has already supported nine start-ups.

In addition, the Prime Minister will felicitate 46 all-India toppers from Industrial Training Institutes under the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship during the Kaushal Deekshant Samaroh, the fourth edition of the National Skill Convocation. He will also launch PM-SETU, a ₹60,000 crore initiative to upgrade 1,000 government ITIs nationwide, with special focus on it is in Patna and Darbhanga under PM-SETU.

Other initiatives include the inauguration of 1,200 Vocational Skill Labs in 400 Navodaya Vidyalayas and 200 Eklavya Model Residential Schools, the redesigned Bihar Student Credit Card Scheme offering interest-free loans up to ₹4 lakh, and the formal launch of the Bihar Yuva Ayog, a commission for youth aged 18-45.

Party's response on EC final voter list soon: Chakravarty

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

DAYS after the Election Commission of India (EC) published the final voter list in poll-bound Bihar, Congress said that it will soon issue a detailed feedback as it involves an arduous effort to download over 90,000 PDFs of the list.

Praveen Chakravarty, chairman, AICC Data Analytics Department told this newspaper that the party will issue its response this week as its data analytics department and EAGLE, the committee set up to monitor polls, have been rigorously working on the data.

"It involves rigorous effort as the final voter list is available in PDF format for download, but it is provided as scanned images instead of machine-readable digital text. It runs into more than 90,000 pages. We have downloaded the PDFs and the rest of the work needs to be done," he said.

Oppn may move SC

CPI (ML) general secy Dipankar Bhattachrya said on Friday that the Opposition would move the SC if the EC failed to address alleged discrepancies in the final voter list.

The opposition parties, including Congress, were up in arms over the ECI's decision to replace the machine-readable draft voter lists with scanned image PDFs for the intensive revision exercise. The Congress has been demanding the voter list in machine-readable format, saying it will help it flag flaws. However, citing a 2019 Supreme Court judgment, CEC Gyanesh Kumar said that the voter list in machine-readable format cannot be shared with political parties as it can be edited and can lead to its misuse, he said.

In the final voter list, the total number of electors have come down by nearly 47 lakh to 7.42 crore from 7.89 crore before the special intensive review of electoral rolls.

Setback to JD(U), Nitish MLA quits to join Tejashwi

RAMASHANKAR & RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ Patna/New Delhi

JD(U) MLA Sanjeev Kumar on Friday resigned from Nitish Kumar's party and joined the RJD at a function in Bihar's Khagaria. Kumar, son of four-time MLA Ramanand Prasad Singh, was elected from Parbatta constituency in 2020.

Welcoming Sanjeev, RJD leader Tejashwi Yadav said his joining "will strengthen the party's poll prospects in Khagaria district as he belongs to a dominant and influential caste and a family that has been in politics for long enjoying a major caste clout in the area."

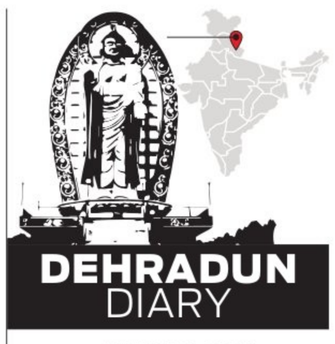
EC team in Patna today

A three-member EC team will arrive in Patna on Saturday for a two-day meet to review the preparedness for the Bihar Assembly polls due soon.

Sanjeev comes from dominant Bhumihar upper caste and his joining is set to change the caste equation in the region. Recently, he organised the Brahmrishi Swabhiman Yatra in Patna, which made an appeal for unity in the Bhumihar community. He was critical of the SIR of electoral rolls and had criticised the Election Commission and the NDA government for doing the exercise a few months before the election.

"Kumar's joining the RJD has given a bad message to JD(U). Caste dynamics in Khagaria will certainly tilt towards RJD," said an influential member of the Bhumihar community. "Bhumihars are seeing Tejashwi Yadav, separately from what his father had said and done earlier against the community," he said.

JD(U) national spokesperson Rajeev Ranjan Prasad said, "Sanjeev has been involved in anti-party activities. He was fearing disciplinary action. So, he left the party."



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NARENDRA SETHI

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PM's brother visits Badrinath Dham

Pankaj Modi, younger brother of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, visited the revered Badrinath Dham on Friday to offer prayers. He was warmly welcomed by the Shri Badrinath Kedarnath Temple Committee (BKTC) on arrival. After participating in the temple rituals, he received 'prasad' from the authorities. Following his 'darshan', Modi and his accompanying guests called on BKTC Chairman Hemant Dwivedi for a courtesy visit. They discussed arrangements related to the ongoing pilgrimage season. The temple is preparing for its annual winter closure, with the portals scheduled to close on November 25 at 2.56 pm.

State BJP leaders see red over Rahul's remarks

The Uttarakhand BJP on Friday strongly criticised Rahul Gandhi over his recent statements in Colombia, accusing him of tarnishing India's image on foreign soil. State BJP president Mahendra Bhatt alleged that Gandhi repeatedly attacks Indian democracy whenever he speaks abroad. He called him the "Leader of Propaganda", twisting the LoP acronym. Bhatt claimed Gandhi often insults national institutions. He further said Gandhi is only focused on gaining power "by hook or by crook", despite repeated rejection. "Instead of learning from people's feedback and improving himself, he keeps challenging the entire democratic system," he added.

113-year-old Bageshwar bridge set for restoration

Bageshwar's historic 113-year-old suspension bridge over the Saryu river is finally set for restoration. A high-level meeting chaired by the Chief Secretary has approved ₹1.8 crore from the Missing Link Fund to repair the deteriorating structure. Built around 1912 during British rule, the 51-metre span bridge is a crucial link connecting the town with the Baghnath temple and the confluence of the Saryu and Gomti rivers. It serves thousands of commuters, pilgrims, and tourists daily. The revival of this old bridge is a long-awaited relief for locals. Once restored, it will continue serving as an essential route while preserving a key part of Bageshwar's heritage.

OBC minister in Gujarat cabinet named state BJP chief ahead of local polls

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @ Ahmedabad

THE suspense over the Gujarat BJP's leadership has ended. Ahmedabad City MLA and Minister Jagdish Vishwakarma has been confirmed as the party's new state president, elected unopposed. With his rise, the BJP gains its third OBC state chief in 45 years, signalling a potential caste recalibration ahead of crucial local polls and a looming cabinet expansion.

Jagdish Vishwakarma, MLA from Ahmedabad's Nikol seat and Minister of State for Cooperation, has filed his nomination for State President and will be elected unopposed as the new state president of the party.

Union Minister Bhupender Yadav, who supervised the organisational process, announced the development on Friday after the nomination window closed with Vishwakarma as the sole contender. His candidature was backed unanimously by 292 state council members, cementing his elevation as a consensus choice within the party.

Vishwakarma's rise carries historical significance. After a 19-year gap, the Gujarat BJP has handed over its reins to an OBC

leader — only the third time in its 45-year history. The first was Kashiram Rana in the early 1990s, followed by Vajubhai Vala from 1996 to 1998 and again briefly in 2005–06. With Vishwakarma, the party returns to its experiment with backward-class leadership, underscoring the growing importance of caste equations in Gujarat's shifting political landscape.

However, his appointment is not just about representation — it is also about power geography. For the first time in decades, both the government and the party organisation are controlled by leaders from Ahmedabad city. Chief Minister Bhupendra Patel hails from Ghatlodia in the city's west, while Vishwakarma represents Nikol in the east.

Coop society in every panchayat by '29, says Shah

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

UNION Home and Cooperation Minister Amit Shah on Friday said that by 2029, every panchayat in the country will have a cooperative society. Shah was inaugurating the country's largest curd, yogurt and butter-milk production dairy plant in Rohtak, Haryana.

The newly constructed Sabar Dairy Plant facility, built at ₹325 crore, will produce 150 metric tonnes of curd, 3 lakh litres of butter-milk, 10 metric tonnes of yogurt and 10 metric tonnes of sweets per day. Shah said that under White Revolution 2.0, more than 75,000 dairy societies will be established across the country in the coming days, and the government will also strengthen 46,000 dairy cooperative societies.

"Our current milk processing capacity is 660 lakh litres per day, and our target is to increase this to 100 million litres by 2028-29," he added.

Shah expressed gratitude to the PM, saying, "I want to assure you that before 2029, there will not be a single Panchayat across the country without a cooperative Samiti."

Further, the number of milch animals has increased from 86 million in 2014-2015 to 112 million now.

12 deaths & counting in MP, Raj; cough syrups under lens

ANURAAG SINGH & RAJESH ASNANI @ Bhopal/Jaipur

CHILDREN aged below five years, who were prescribed a combination of medicines, including two common cough syrups, by doctors in Madhya Pradesh's Chhindwara district, and Rajasthan, continue to die following kidney failure.

With three more deaths, the toll has risen from six to nine in MP, while at least three other kids are battling for their lives in neighbouring Nagpur (Maharashtra).

"Since September 4, nine children have died, while 13 others are undergoing treatment in Chhindwara and Nagpur hospitals," SDM-Parasia, Shubham Kumar Yadav said on Friday. "Out of the five kids who were admitted at the Chhindwara District Hospital, one has recovered and been discharged after full recovery, while two others are on the path to recovery. Two remaining kids are still under intensive treatment. In Nagpur, out of the eight hospitalised kids, the condition of three remains highly critical, as they are currently on dialysis and ventilator support," the SDM said.

Kidney injury suspected

Three deaths in Rajasthan have raised questions about the state's medical department. As per the biopsy reports of the kids who died at hospitals in Nagpur, acute kidney injury, and not any acute encephalitis syndrome, seems to have caused the deaths.

Meanwhile, in Rajasthan, a two-year-old child in Bharatpur district has died after consuming cough syrup provided under the CM's free medicine scheme. Previously, a two-year-old in Bayana village in Bharatpur and a five-year-old in Sikar had died after being given the same syrup.

In the latest case from Luhasa village in Bharatpur, two-year-old Tirthraj allegedly died after consuming the cough syrup. With three deaths, serious questions have arisen about the state's medical department. But far from any tough action against the culprits, efforts have begun to clear Caresons Pharma's Dextromethorphan HBR syrup, which is being blamed for the child deaths.

The government had formed a three-member committee to investigate the deaths.

Health ministry calls for 'rational' use of syrups

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Health Ministry has issued an advisory to all states and Union Territories, directing that cough and cold medications should not be prescribed to children under the age of two years.

Issued by the Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS), the advisory comes amid reports of child deaths allegedly linked to contaminated cough syrups in Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan. The advisory noted that none of the tested syrup samples in MP contained Diethylene Glycol (DEG) or Ethylene Glycol (EG), contaminants that are known to cause serious kidney injury.

People may also be sensitised regarding adherence to prescriptions by doctors, the advisory issued by Dr Sunita Sharma of the DGHS said. "Most acute cough illnesses in children are self-limiting and often resolve without pharmacological intervention," it noted.

Rivers swell in Chamoli in post-monsoon deluge

NARENDRA SETHI @ Dehradun

POST-monsoon rains lashing Uttarakhand's Chamoli district have led to a significant rise in the Alaknanda and Pindar rivers at Karnaprayag, causing widespread waterlogging and disruption. The Namami Gange crematorium, waiting halls, and toilets near the river confluence have been inundated, and the base of a mini sewage plant has also been submerged.

Police and district administration teams are closely monitoring the situation. They have issued repeated alerts to residents living near riverbanks and have urged families in landslide-prone areas to relocate to safer ground. Authorities are actively engaged in evacuating those at risk to prevent any loss of life.

"Although the declaration of a holiday saved the school administration from immediate operational headaches, the subsequent entry of debris and water now presents a massive challenge for reopening," said a villager, Bhupendra Singh.

Authorities put residents near banks on alert

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Life in the Tharali development block has come to a near standstill. Residents, already grappling with the aftermath of previous natural disturbances, are now facing fresh terror from the rising Pindar River. Water has breached several key community areas, including Ramlila Ground, Shishu Mandir, Pindar Junior High School, and local traders' godowns, causing chaos and forcing many business owners to vacate their establishments.

Families have taken refuge in ancestral homes or designated relief centres. In Upper Market, severe land subsidence has heightened panic, and travel across more than a dozen routes between Tharali and Lolti remains hazardous.

The impact extends beyond flooding. Several important motor routes, including Tharali-Doongri and Tharali-Kurad-Partha, have been closed for over 15 days, creating a looming crisis for essential supplies. Pregnant women and the sick face particular difficulties accessing aid and medical help.

Heavy landslides and deep fissures have been reported in Gwaldam, Jola, Bud Jola, Lolti Thala, Talwadi, Malwajwad, Simla Sen, Talwadi Khalsa, and Sera Vijpur villages, causing immense hardship for the local population.

Station House Officer Pankaj Kumar said, "Due to the incessant rainfall, the river level is rising rapidly. We are exercising extreme caution to prevent any loss of life or property. The administration remains on high alert. The police are actively warning riverside residents and facilitating their movement to the Kulsari relief camp."

NSA invoked against 8 in Oct '24 Bahraich communal violence case

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

A year after communal clashes rocked Bahraich claiming a life, the district magistrate (DM) and the superintendent of police (SP) have invoked the National Security Act (NSA) against eight of the accused lodged in jail since then on charges of murder and indulging in riots.

DM Akshay Tripathi said: "The step has been taken in the interest of public peace, law, and security. If anyone attempts to disturb peace in future, strict action will be taken on similar lines." Clashes had erupted in Maharajganj area of the central UP district on October 13 last year after some locals allegedly asked for music to be turned off during a Durga idol immersion procession passing through a Muslim-dominated locality.

A heated argument escalated

into clashes and stone-pelting between two communities. The situation worsened when gunshots were allegedly fired, and a local resident, Ram Gopal Mishra, 22, sustained a bullet wound while trying to replace a green flag on a building with a saffron one. Mishra was rushed to the hospital where he died. Business establishments and houses were then set on fire. A clash also broke out between the rioters and police. It took more than a month for the situation to return to normal.

Mahsi area circle officer (CO) Dhirendra Kumar Srivastava said, "The DM has endorsed the recommendation to invoke the NSA against the eight accused two days ago." Under section 3(2) of the NSA, 1980, the eight accused have been formally detained, and further proceedings are underway as per government orders, he said. The eight accused include Maroof Ali, Nankau, Mohammad Fahim, Mohammad Afzal, Mohammad Zeeshan, Javed, Shoaib Khan and Saif Ali.

The Uttar Pradesh government has directed strict enforcement of law and order across the state. The government had earlier approved the NSA against five other accused in the same case after a recommendation was sent by the administration.

POSTS OF THE DAY

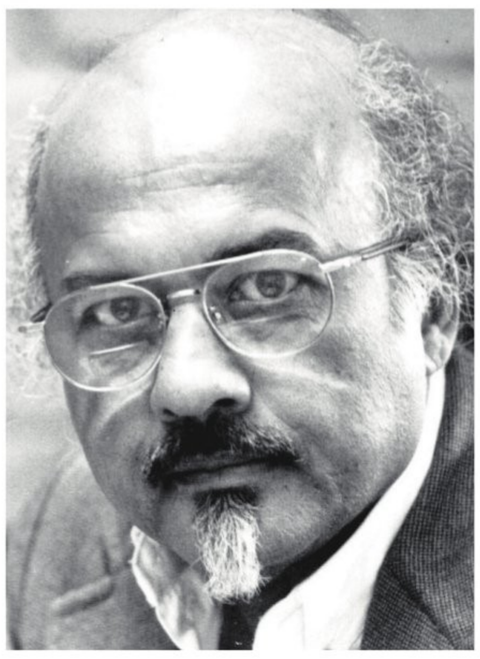
Yogendra Yadav @_YogendraYadav
The truth is that SIR is still a tool for vote splitting even today. The brake that's been applied is limited only to Bihar. The specter of vote splitting still looms over the rest of the country.

Supriya Shrinate @SupriyaShrinate
This is what Indian industry is capable of - winning and shining... the Modi govt has brazenly resorted to crony capitalism which cripples India's hard working industry.

Amit Malviya @amitmalviya
Prashant Bhushan woke up, peddled #FakeNews, panicked, and then deleted it. His life is no better than that of a troll, just louder, nastier, and more desperate.

HE WHO SPOKE TRUTH TO POWER

'NOW IS THE TIME TO SAY GOODBYE'



THAYIL JACOB SONY GEORGE

- Begins career in **1950** with The Free Press Journal
- First editor of independent India to be charged with sedition and imprisoned
- Founding editor of AsiaWeek magazine in **1975**
- Recognised for his 'Point Of View' column in The New Indian Express, which ran for **25 years**
- Padma Bhushan in **2011** for his contributions to literature, education
- Rajyotsava Award by Karnataka govt in **2007**

FAMOUS BOOKS

- Lee Kuan Yew's Singapore (**1973**)
- Revolt in Mindanao: The rise of Islam in Philippine politics (**1980**)
- Pothan Joseph's India (**1992**)
- The life and Times of Nargis (**1994**)
- The First Refuge of Scoundrels (**2003**)
- MS, A life In Music (**2004**)
- Lessons In Journalism: The Story of Pothan Joseph (**2007**)
- MS Subbulakshmi: The Definitive Biography (**2016**)
- Askew: A Short Biography of Bangalore (**2016**)
- Jaya: An Incredible Story (**2018**)
- The Dismantling of India: In 35 Portraits (**2022**)

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

VETERAN journalist, writer and columnist, who was Director of Express Publications (Madurai) Private Limited and Editorial Advisor to The New Indian Express, Thayil Jacob Sony George—popularly known as TJS George or TJS—passed away on Friday afternoon at a private hospital in Bengaluru. He was 97. He is survived by his son Jeet Thayil and daughter Sheba Thayil. His wife Ammu George died in January this year.

Family members informed that TJS was ailing from age-related problems for some time, with his condition deteriorating over the last two months. He was admitted to Manipal Hospital in Bengaluru last week, and had undergone a minor surgery from which he was recovering. However, complications set in on Thursday and Friday, when he suffered two cardiac arrests, respectively, the second from which he did not recover. TJS passed away at 4.30 pm on Friday.

TJS was born on May 7, 1928, as the fourth child of Thayil Thomas Jacob, a magistrate, and Chachiamma Jacob, and went on to graduate from the Madras Christian College with an Honours in English Literature before embarking on his journalistic career.

TJS began his career in 1950 at The Free Press Journal in India's Maximum City, then known as Bombay, now Mumbai. He went on to work with The Searchlight, the International Press Institute and the Far Eastern Economic Review before becoming the founding editor of Asiaweek, published from Hong Kong. At Searchlight, TJS became the first Indian editor to be charged with sedition in India. When he was arrested for his columns against then Bihar Chief Minister KB Sahay, the defence minister at that time, VK Krishna Menon, rushed to Patna to defend him.

During his long stint with The New Indian Express that spanned over four decades, TJS contributed 1,300 columns in the last 25 years before laying down his pen on June 12, 2022 with 'Now is the time to say Goodbye'. His column 'Point of View' ran for over 25 years and was widely read.

TJS never took a backward step during the rest of his career too, never flinching from speaking truth to power. In his final column, TJS explained how he saw it: "Some of us feel that we should not criticise our own country. Some feel exactly the other way—that a big country like ours needs to be cautioned all the way about pitfalls. All arguments have their own supporters and their own critics, their own validities and their own drawbacks. But there is something not right if a country and its rulers start feeling that they should not be criticised at all—and especially by newspaperwallahs."

He was honoured with the Padma Bhushan in 2011 for his significant contributions to literature and education, and was given the Karnataka Rajyotsava Award in 2007.

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TJS' last rites will be performed in Bengaluru, where he will be cremated at the Hebbal crematorium on Sunday afternoon.

India trashes B'desh's 'baseless' charge over Chittagong Hill unrest

JAYANTH JACOB @ New Delhi

INDIA on Friday strongly rejected allegations made by Bangladesh's interim government linking New Delhi to the recent violence in the Khagrachhari hill district, calling the claims "false and baseless," and accused Dhaka of failing to maintain law and order while "shifting the blame" externally.

Responding to comments by Bangladesh's Home Affairs Adviser Lt Gen (retd) Jahangir Alam Chowdhury, External Affairs Ministry spokesperson Randhir Jaiswal said: "We categorically reject these false and baseless allegations. The interim government of Bangladesh is unable to maintain law and order in the country and has a habit of routinely trying to shift the blame elsewhere."

Jaiswal urged Bangladesh to focus on internal accountability rather than external scapegoating. "It would do well for them to introspect and conduct serious investigations into the actions of local extremists committing violence, arson, and land grabs against the minority communities in the Chittagong Hill Tracts," he said.

The response comes after Chowdhury attempted to pin the blame for the ongoing unrest on former Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina and alleged Indian involvement. He claimed, without offering evidence that "certain quarters" were trying to provoke sectarian tensions during Durga Puja festival.

The Khagrachhari district has witnessed a surge in violence since Sunday following reports of the alleged gang rape of a tribal girl. The incident sparked clashes between tribal groups and Bengali settlers in the area, resulting in at least three deaths and injuries to at least a dozen others.

COLOMBIA VISIT

'Innovation, not cronyism': Rahul showers praises on Indian auto companies

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

CONGRESS leader Rahul Gandhi, during his visit to Colombia, praised the global success of Indian two-wheeler companies while criticising "crony capitalism" and what he called a "wholesale attack on democracy" in India.

On social media platform X, Gandhi shared a photo of himself in front of a Bajaj Pulsar and wrote, "Proud to see Bajaj, Hero & TVS doing so well in Colombia. Shows Indian companies can win with innovation, not cronyism. Great job." The post was a thinly veiled critique of political patronage benefitting a few corporations in India.

At a seminar in EIA University in Medellin, Gandhi claimed, "Three or four businesses taking over the whole economy, having a direct relationship with the Prime Minister, is rampant in India." He alleged "huge amounts of corruption at a centralised level" and warned that such practices pose risks to India's economic and democratic system.

Referring to the Indian challenges, he said, "Currently, there is a wholesale attack on the democratic system in India, so that is a risk. The other big risk is different conceptions — some 16-17 different languages, different religions... So, allowing these different traditions to thrive, and giving them space to express themselves is very important for a country like India. We cannot do what China does, which is to suppress people and run an authoritarian system."

Gandhi also highlighted India's philosophical and spiritual traditions as a global strength, stating that the country has profound ideas that remain relevant in today's world.

Some of his remarks drew sharp criticism from the BJP. Senior leader Ravi Shankar Prasad accused him of defaming India on foreign soil.

> **I am very optimistic about India, but there are fault lines. The single-biggest risk is the attack on democracy taking place in India**
>
> Rahul Gandhi, Leader of Opposition

India has a complex system

Contrasting India's democratic ethos with China's authoritarian model, Gandhi said, "India has a much more complex system compared to China... Our design will just not accept suppression." He added that India's diversity requires space for free expression.

BJP hits back, says Rahul has become a flag-bearer of anti-India forces abroad

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

THE BJP on Friday launched a scathing attack on Congress leader Rahul Gandhi over his remarks at a seminar in Colombia, claiming he has become the "flag-bearer of anti-India forces" and is promoting their agenda in the country.

Party spokesperson Sudhanshu Trivedi criticised Gandhi's comments, saying they show that the Congress, controlled by the Nehru-Gandhi family for over a century, is now succumbing to "anti-India" elements. Referring to Gandhi's statement about India having 16–17 languages, Trivedi said, "You will now see that he will try to create a conflict over the issue of languages. Attempts have already been made in the past to create a North-South conflict."

Trivedi called Gandhi the "jhanda bardar" (flag-bearer) of "anti-India forces" and appealed to the public to be wary of him and the Nehru-Gandhi family. "Today it seems that having a leader of the opposition like him is like a thorn in the heart of Indian democracy," he said.

He added, "Those in the Congress, who are aware of the party falling into the clutches of dangerous foreign forces are committing treason. I appeal to those who are not aware of this to show due diligence and stop such leaders."

Trivedi also criticised the Congress leadership as "immature," saying that the party once had mature leaders like Indira Gandhi and P.V. Narasimha Rao, who knew how to handle the Ultra-Left. "Today, it is being used. It's not a problem just for the Congress but a matter of concern for the country as well," he said.

Trivedi also targeted Congress leader Udit Raj, who allegedly called Prime Minister Narendra Modi "a symbol of modern Ravan". He said, "I only want to simply remind those who supported the killers of Rambhakt karsevaks did not attend the inauguration of Ram Temple in Ayodhya but visited Babar's memorial three times to pay their obeisance." He added: "People know very well who the symbols of Ravan's propensity of Lord Ram's 'sanskar' are."

Wangchuk's wife moves SC seeking husband's release

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY @ New Delhi

CLIMATE activist and Ladakh statehood crusader Sonam Wangchuk's wife, Dr. Gitanjali J. Angmo, has moved the Supreme Court seeking his immediate release from Jodhpur Central Jail, where he is being held under the National Security Act (NSA).

In a habeas corpus petition filed under Article 32, Dr. Angmo said her husband's arrest was "illegal and without cause." She said she has had no contact with him since his detention on September 26 and has no information about his health or the grounds of arrest.

Wangchuk had been on a hunger strike since September 10 as part of protests demanding statehood for Ladakh and inclusion under the Sixth Schedule of the Constitution. When violence erupted in Leh, he reportedly ended his fast and left in an ambulance before being detained.

With the Supreme Court currently on Dussehra break till October 6, Dr. Angmo plans to urgently mention the case once the court reopens.

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The Ministry of Home Affairs has accused Wangchuk of inciting violence, a charge his supporters reject.

The Leh Apex Body and the Kargil Democratic Alliance, which are leading the agitation, have demanded his unconditional release, along with the release of others detained.

Transfer probe to CBI: Zubeen murder accused

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY @ New Delhi

NORTHEAST India Festival organiser, Shyamkanu Mahanta, arrested by Assam Police in 52-year-old Assamese music icon, Zubeen Garg death case, has moved the Supreme Court seeking directions for transfer of investigation from the state SIT to the CBI or NIA.

According to sources in the Supreme Court registry and staff, the plea would come up for hearing next week. "The plea, being sensitive one, will come up for hearing in the next week, as the top court will be open on October 6, Monday," a senior Court staff from the top court registry told TNIE.

Mahanta, in his petition sought direction from SC to appoint a retired SC judge to monitor and supervise the investigation.

The SIT (Special Investigation Team) also arrested Zubeen's manager Siddharth Sharma, bandmate Shekhar Jyoti Goswami and co-singer Amritprabha Mahanta, besides Shyamkanu Mahanta.

'No provisions': Pilots can't be in AI Ahmedabad crash probe committee

S LALITHA @ New Delhi

THE Aircraft Accident Investigation Bureau (AAIB) has informed a leading pilot body, the Airline Pilots' Association of India (ALPA INDIA), that it would not be possible to include pilots in the ongoing final probe into the AI 171 crash at Ahmedabad. In its present form, the AAIB Act does not have any such provision, the association has been told.

The June 12 Boeing Dreamliner crash had left 260 people dead and the preliminary report has been released. Investigations are underway in connection with the final report. Various pilot bodies had blamed the preliminary report which pointed to human error and demanded that Subject Matter Experts (pilots with expertise) be included in the investigation process.

AAIB Director General, Yugandhar held a meeting at the DGCA office with the managing committee of ALPA, a Bengaluru-headquartered body with 1,000-plus pilots in India and abroad under its fold.

Meetings for aviation safety

The DG also promised to have quarterly meetings where a road map would be drawn for aviation safety and further investigation will involve ALPA India directly or their nominee, Rao added.

Capt Anil Rao, General Secretary of ALPA India, told this newspaper, "The DG made it known to us during the meeting that he had limitations in including outside bodies that are not part of the Government of India. This is as per the AIIB Act. Moreover, this is an ongoing investigation."

"The AAIB promised that they will do everything to ensure that when the Act is amended, they will have a provision where outside experts can be involved officially."

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The final choice on whether the SMEs can be involved in a particular accident probe would be the absolute right of the lead investigator, the General Secretary stressed.

In an official release on Thursday, ALPA INDIA was optimistic that members of the body would be made a part of the investigation into the crash.

Scrapped comps to be donated to govt schools

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

THE Centre has found a way to reduce the stash of old computers and laptops in government offices, as the usable machines declared scrapped will be donated to state-run schools and other educational institutions.

The proposal came up during a discussion in a review meeting of nodal officers appointed by the ministries and departments for Special Campaign 5.0 for Swachhata and disposal of pending matters that took place last month.

As per the 2024-25 report of Unified District Information System for Education Plus (UDISE+), an educational management information system under MoE, out of 14.71 lakh schools in the country, 13.13 lakh are government run institutions and 60.2% of them have computers and 58.6% have internet connection. There are 79,349 government-aided schools with 74% having access to computers and 73.4% internet facilities available.

The secretary for the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG) V Srinivas chaired the meeting held through video conference.

"The Department of School Education and Literacy (DoSE&L) will be issuing a circular on the Vidyanjali Scheme on donation of used personal computers (PCs) or laptops to schools or educational institutions by ministries or departments so that usable computers etc scrapped by ministries or departments can be put to best usage of school children through Vidyanjali," read the minutes of the review meeting seen by this newspaper.

The scheme is a Ministry of Education (MoE) initiative to connect volunteers, community members, and the private sector with government and government-aided schools to improve education quality and infrastructure. As part of the scheme, launched in September 2021, a dedicated online portal for individuals and organisations to offer their services, materials, or equipment, ranging from teaching vocational skills and languages to donating educational supplies and improving facilities. "It is going to be a massive exercise to ascertain the number of usable computers and laptops with the ministries and departments. A detailed audit needs to be done," said officials.

As reported earlier, this year's Special Campaign on Swachhata (Cleanliness) moves beyond scrap disposal and old record or file weeding. The special focus is on removal of no-longer unwanted electrical or electronic equipment (EEE).

SPECIAL CLEANLINESS DRIVE

- Special campaigns conducted from 2021-24 have generated a revenue of ₹2,364 crores through disposal of scrap
- Special Campaign 4.0 generated revenues of more than ₹650 crore in October last year
- The Special Campaign 4.0 was undertaken in more than 5.97L sites, resulting in freeing up 190L sq ft for effective office use

CHILD MARRIAGE

The police have registered a case against five persons in connection with the marriage of a minor tribal girl from Maharashtra's Palghar district, an official stated on Friday.

18 HURT — AS BUS OVERTURNS ON HIGHWAY IN UP'S SULTANPUR

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	31	24	Mumbai	28	26
Bhopal	30	22	Panaji	30	25
Jaipur	32	24	Patna	26	25
Amritsar	32	23	Lucknow	28	24
Chennai	32	26	Port Blair	29	26
Kolkata	31	28	Imphal	28	22
Srinagar	22	10	Chandigarh	33	21

● Five lakh graduates from poll-bound state to get ₹1K a month ● Cong panel analysing PDF files on rolls ● RJD may get Bhumihars' support

Focus on Bihar as Modi set to unveil ₹62K cr schemes

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

AHEAD of the announcement of Bihar Legislative Assembly election dates by the Election Commission on Monday or Tuesday, Prime Minister Narendra Modi is set to launch several youth-focused initiatives, including schemes specifically for Bihar, worth ₹62,000 crore, on Saturday.

He will inaugurate the revamped Mukhyamantri Nishchay Swayam Sahayata Bhatta Yojana in Bihar, which will provide a monthly allowance of ₹1,000 for two years to nearly five lakh graduate youths. In a landmark step for skill development, Modi will also inaugurate the Jan Nayak Karpoori Thakur Skill University, aimed at promoting industry-oriented courses and vocational education.

On the educational infrastructure front, the Prime Minister will lay the foundation stone for new academic and research facilities in four universities—Patna University, Bhupendra Narayan Mandal University in Madhepura, Jai Prakash Vishwavidyalaya in Chapra, and Nalanda Open University in Patna—under the PM-USHA scheme. These projects, with a total allocation of ₹160 crore, are expected to benefit over 27,000 students by providing modern academic infrastructure, advanced laboratories, hostels, and multidisciplinary learning facilities.

4K govt job letters to be distributed in manpower push

Over 4,000 government appointment letters will be distributed, and ₹450 crore in scholarships will be released to 25 lakh students under the Mukhyamantri Balak/Balika Scholarship Scheme. With these initiatives, the BJP expects Bihar to become a hub for skilled manpower, supporting both regional and national development.

PM Modi will also dedicate the Bihta campus of NIT Patna to the nation. The campus now has the capacity to accommodate 6,500 students and includes a Regional Academic Centre for Space, established in collaboration with ISRO, as well as an Innovation and Incubation Centre, which has already supported nine start-ups.

In addition, the Prime Minister will felicitate 46 all-India toppers from Industrial Training Institutes under the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship during the Kaushal Deekshant Samaroh, the fourth edition of the National Skill Convocation. He will also launch PM-SETU, a ₹60,000 crore initiative to upgrade 1,000 government ITIs nationwide, with special focus on it is in Patna and Darbhanga under PM-SETU.

Other initiatives include the inauguration of 1,200 Vocational Skill Labs in 400 Navodaya Vidyalayas and 200 Eklavya Model Residential Schools, the redesigned Bihar Student Credit Card Scheme offering interest-free loans up to ₹4 lakh, and the formal launch of the Bihar Yuva Ayog, a commission for youth aged 18-45.

Party's response on EC final voter list soon: Chakravarty

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

DAYS after the Election Commission of India (EC) published the final voter list in poll-bound Bihar, Congress said that it will soon issue a detailed feedback as it involves an arduous effort to download over 90,000 PDFs of the list.

Praveen Chakravarty, chairman, AICC Data Analytics Department told this newspaper that the party will issue its response this week as its data analytics department and EAGLE, the committee set up to monitor polls, have been rigorously working on the data.

"It involves rigorous effort as the final voter list is available in PDF format for download, but it is provided as scanned images instead of machine-readable digital text. It runs into more than 90,000 pages. We have downloaded the PDFs and the rest of the work needs to be done," he said.

Oppn may move SC

CPI (ML) general secy Dipankar Bhattacharya said on Friday that the Opposition would move the SC if the EC failed to address alleged discrepancies in the final voter list.

The opposition parties, including Congress, were up in arms over the ECI's decision to replace the machine-readable draft voter lists with scanned image PDFs for the intensive revision exercise. The Congress has been demanding the voter list in machine-readable format, saying it will help it flag flaws. However, citing a 2019 Supreme Court judgment, CEC Gyanesh Kumar said that the voter list in machine-readable format cannot be shared with political parties as it can be edited and can lead to its misuse, he said.

In the final voter list, the total number of electors have come down by nearly 47 lakh to 7.42 crore from 7.89 crore before the special intensive review of electoral rolls.

Setback to JD(U), Nitish MLA quits to join Tejashwi

RAMASHANKAR & RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ Patna/New Delhi

JD(U) MLA Sanjeev Kumar on Friday resigned from Nitish Kumar's party and joined the RJD at a function in Bihar's Khagaria. Son of four-time MLA Ramanand Prasad Singh, he was elected from Parbatta constituency in 2020.

Welcoming Sanjeev, RJD leader Tejashwi Yadav said his joining "will strengthen the party's poll prospects in Khagaria district as he belongs to a dominant and influential caste and a family that has been in politics for long enjoying a major caste clout in the area."

EC team in Patna today

A three-member EC team will arrive in Patna on Saturday for a two-day meet to review the preparedness for the Bihar Assembly polls due soon.

Sanjeev comes from dominant Bhumihar upper caste and his joining is set to change the caste equation in the region. Recently, he organised the Brahmrishi Swabhiman Yatra in Patna, which made an appeal for unity in the Bhumihar community. He was critical of the SIR of electoral rolls and had criticised the Election Commission and the NDA government for doing the exercise a few months before the election.

"Kumar's joining the RJD has given a bad message to JD(U). Caste dynamics in Khagaria will certainly tilt towards RJD," said an influential member of the Bhumihar community. "Bhumihars are seeing Tejashwi Yadav separately from what his father had said and done earlier against the community," he said.

JD(U) national spokesperson Rajeev Ranjan Prasad said, "Sanjeev has been involved in anti-party activities. He was fearing disciplinary action. So, he left the party."

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PM's brother visits Badrinath Dham

Pankaj Modi, younger brother of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, visited the revered Badrinath Dham on Friday to offer prayers. He was warmly welcomed by the Shri Badrinath Kedarnath Temple Committee (BKTC) on arrival. After participating in the temple rituals, he received 'prasad' from the authorities. Following his 'darshan', Modi and his accompanying guests called on BKTC Chairman Hemant Dwivedi for a courtesy visit. They discussed arrangements related to the ongoing pilgrimage season. The temple is preparing for its annual winter closure, with the portals scheduled to close on November 25 at 2.56 pm.

State BJP leaders see red over Rahul's remarks

The Uttarakhand BJP on Friday strongly criticised Rahul Gandhi over his recent statements in Colombia, accusing him of tarnishing India's image on foreign soil. State BJP president Mahendra Bhatt alleged that Gandhi repeatedly attacks Indian democracy whenever he speaks abroad. He called him the "Leader of Propaganda", twisting the LoP acronym. Bhatt claimed Gandhi often insults national institutions. He further said Gandhi is only focused on gaining power "by hook or by crook", despite repeated rejection. "Instead of learning from people's feedback and improving himself, he keeps challenging the entire democratic system," he added.

113-year-old Bageshwar bridge set for restoration

Bageshwar's historic 113-year-old suspension bridge over the Saryu river is finally set for restoration. A high-level meeting chaired by the Chief Secretary has approved ₹1.8 crore from the Missing Link Fund to repair the deteriorating structure. Built around 1912 during British rule, the 51-metre span bridge is a crucial link connecting the town with the Baghnath temple and the confluence of the Saryu and Gomti rivers. It serves thousands of commuters, pilgrims, and tourists daily. The revival of this old bridge is a long-awaited relief for locals. Once restored, it will continue serving as an essential route while preserving a key part of Bageshwar's heritage.

OBC minister in Gujarat cabinet named state BJP chief ahead of local polls

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @ Ahmedabad

THE suspense over the Gujarat BJP's leadership has ended. Ahmedabad City MLA and Minister Jagdish Vishwakarma has been confirmed as the party's new state president, elected unopposed. With his rise, the BJP gains its third OBC state chief in 45 years, signalling a potential caste recalibration ahead of crucial local polls and a looming cabinet expansion.

Jagdish Vishwakarma, MLA from Ahmedabad's Nikol seat and Minister of State for Cooperation, has filed his nomination for State President and will be elected unopposed as the new state president of the party.

Union Minister Bhupender Yadav, who supervised the organisational process, announced the development on Friday after the nomination window closed with Vishwakarma as the sole contender. His candidature was backed unanimously by 292 state council members, cementing his elevation as a consensus choice within the party.

Vishwakarma's rise carries historical significance. After a 19-year gap, the Gujarat BJP has handed over its reins to an OBC

leader — only the third time in its 45-year history. The first was Kashiram Rana in the early 1990s, followed by Vajubhai Vala from 1996 to 1998 and again briefly in 2005–06. With Vishwakarma, the party returns to its experiment with backward-class leadership, underscoring the growing importance of caste equations in Gujarat's shifting political landscape.

However, his appointment is not just about representation — it is also about power geography. For the first time in decades, both the government and the party organisation are controlled by leaders from Ahmedabad city. Chief Minister Bhupendra Patel hails from Ghatlodia in the city's west, while Vishwakarma represents Nikol in the east.

Coop society in every panchayat by '29, says Shah

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

UNION Home and Cooperation Minister Amit Shah on Friday said that by 2029, every panchayat in the country will have a cooperative society. Shah was inaugurating the country's largest curd, yogurt and butter-milk production dairy plant in Rohtak, Haryana.

The newly constructed Sabar Dairy Plant facility, built at ₹325 crore, will produce 150 metric tonnes of curd, 3 lakh litres of butter-milk, 10 metric tonnes of yogurt and 10 metric tonnes of sweets per day. Shah said that under White Revolution 2.0, more than 75,000 dairy societies will be established across the country in the coming days, and the government will also strengthen 46,000 dairy cooperative societies.

"Our current milk processing capacity is 660 lakh litres per day, and our target is to increase this to 100 million litres by 2028-29," he added.

Shah expressed gratitude to the PM, saying, "I want to assure you that before 2029, there will not be a single Panchayat across the country without a cooperative Samiti."

Further, the number of milch animals has increased from 86 million in 2014-2015 to 112 million now.

12 deaths & counting in MP, Raj; cough syrups under lens

ANURAAG SINGH & RAJESH ASNANI @ Bhopal/Jaipur

Kidney injury suspected

Three deaths in Rajasthan have raised questions about the state's medical department. As per the biopsy reports of the kids who died at hospitals in Nagpur, acute kidney injury, and not any acute encephalitis syndrome, seems to have caused the deaths.

CHILDREN aged below five years, who were prescribed a combination of medicines, including two common cough syrups, by doctors in Madhya Pradesh's Chhindwara district, and Rajasthan, continue to die following kidney failure.

With three more deaths, the toll has risen from six to nine in MP, while at least three other kids are battling for their lives in neighbouring Nagpur (Maharashtra).

"Since September 4, nine children have died, while 13 others are undergoing treatment in Chhindwara and Nagpur hospitals," SDM-Parasia, Shubham Kumar Yadav said on Friday. "Out of the five kids who were admitted at the Chhindwara District Hospital, one has recovered and been discharged after full recovery, while two others are on the path to recovery. Two remaining kids are still under intensive treatment. In Nagpur, out of the eight hospitalised kids, the condition of three remains highly critical, as they are currently on dialysis and ventilator support," the SDM said.

Meanwhile, in Rajasthan, a two-year-old child in Bharatpur district has died after consuming cough syrup provided under the CM's free medicine scheme. Previously, a two-year-old in Bayana village in Bharatpur and a five-year-old in Sikar had died after being given the same syrup.

In the latest case from Luhasa village in Bharatpur, two-year-old Tirthraj allegedly died after consuming the cough syrup. With three deaths, serious questions have arisen about the state's medical department. But far from any tough action against the culprits, efforts have begun to clear Caresons Pharma's Dextromethorphan HBR syrup, which is being blamed for the child deaths.

The government had formed a three-member committee to investigate the deaths.

No cold & cough syrups for kids below 2 yrs: Govt

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Health Ministry has issued an advisory to all states and Union Territories, directing that cough and cold medications should not be prescribed to children under the age of two years.

Issued by the Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS), the advisory comes amid reports of child deaths allegedly linked to contaminated cough syrups in Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan. The advisory noted that none of the tested syrup samples in MP contained Diethylene Glycol (DEG) or Ethylene Glycol (EG), contaminants that are known to cause serious kidney injury.

People may also be sensitised regarding adherence to prescriptions by doctors, the advisory issued by Dr Sunita Sharma of the DGHS said. "Most acute cough illnesses in children are self-limiting and often resolve without pharmacological intervention," it noted.

Rivers swell in Chamoli in post-monsoon deluge

NARENDRA SETHI @ Dehradun

POST-monsoon rains lashing Uttarakhand's Chamoli district have led to a significant rise in the Alaknanda and Pindar rivers at Karnaprayag, causing widespread waterlogging and disruption. The Namami Gange crematorium, waiting halls, and toilets near the river confluence have been inundated, and the base of a mini sewage plant has also been submerged.

Police and district administration teams are closely monitoring the situation. They have issued repeated alerts to residents living near riverbanks and have urged families in landslide-prone areas to relocate to safer ground. Authorities are actively engaged in evacuating those at risk to prevent any loss of life.

"Although the declaration of a holiday saved the school administration from immediate operational headaches, the subsequent entry of debris and water now presents a massive challenge for reopening," said

Authorities put residents near banks on alert

Police and district administration teams are closely monitoring the situation. They have issued repeated alerts to residents living near riverbanks and have urged families in landslide-prone areas to relocate to safer ground. Authorities are engaged in evacuating those at risk.

a villager, Bhupendra Singh.

Life in the Tharali development block has come to a near standstill. Residents, already grappling with the aftermath of previous natural disturbances, are now facing fresh terror from the rising Pindar River. Water has breached several key community areas, including Ramlila Ground, Shishu Mandir, Pindar Junior High School, and local traders' godowns, causing chaos and forcing many business owners to vacate their establishments.

Families have taken refuge in ancestral homes or designated relief centres. In Upper Market, severe land subsidence has heightened panic, and travel across more than a dozen routes between Tharali and Lolti remains hazardous.

The impact extends beyond flooding. Several important motor routes, including Tharali-Doongri and Tharali-Kurad-Partha, have been closed for over 15 days, creating a looming crisis for essential supplies. Pregnant women and the sick face particular difficulties accessing aid and medical help.

Heavy landslides and deep fissures have been reported in Gwaldam, Jola, Bud Jola, Lolti Thala, Talwadi, Malwajwad, Simla Sen, Talwadi Khalsa, and Sera Vijpur villages, causing immense hardship for the local population.

Station House Officer Pankaj Kumar said, "Due to the incessant rainfall, the river level is rising rapidly. We are exercising extreme caution to prevent any loss of life or property. The administration remains on high alert. The police are actively warning riverside residents and facilitating their movement to the Kulsari relief camp."

Kumar shares daughter's encounter with dangerous cyber criminals

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ Mumbai

CYBERCRIME is growing faster than street crime, Bollywood actor Akshay Kumar warned on Friday, recalling that his teenage daughter was once asked for a nude photo during an online video game.

Akshay shared the incident at a cyber safety awareness programme in Mumbai, attended by Maharashtra Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis and senior police officials. He said his daughter was playing the game a few months ago when she encountered an unknown person who initially sent polite and encouraging messages.

"The person who was playing a video game with my daughter was very sober and talked normally. The communication was on and after the game, that person used to give a compliment to my daughter, saying well played… nice... It was as usual

a normal conversation. That went for a few days, then after some days, that person again gave the compliment at the end of the game and asked, Are you male or female?" Akshay said.

The actor said the person had later asked his daughter where she lived, to which she had replied Mumbai.

"Another day, at the end of the game, he, as usual, gave the compliment and praised her game. Then, he asked my daughter to send her nude picture. My daughter was shocked, and she immediately switched off her phone and informed her mother," he said.

"This is how everything begins. It is great that my daughter spoke to my wife about it," he added. "This is a part of cyber crime, where children get carried away. In some cases, people face extortion and many things happen. There are many cases where the victim ends life."

Meanwhile, Akshay urged that cyber awareness be made part of the school syllabus. "In school, we learn history and maths. We also learn two plus two is four. But in the cyber world that four can become zero. Our children should learn all this," he said.

"I would like to request the CM that in Maharashtra schools from class 7 to 10, there should be a weekly 'period' on cyber safety. The education on cybercrime is very important nowadays," he added.

CAUVERY NEERAVARI NIGAMA NIYAMITHA

(A Govt of Karnataka Enterprises)
O/o The Executive Engineer, CNNL., No.2 VCC Division, Mysuru District - 570020
Ph.0821-2515598 Email: eevccdn2@gmail.com

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

No.10/2025-26, Dated: 30.09.2025

Tender is invited through KPP Portal by the Executive Engineer, No.2 VCC Division, Mysuru on behalf of the Managing Director CNNL Bengaluru from Eligible Registered Contractors for 01 Number of Re-modelling of canal works amounting 103.00 Crores to take up these works on Item Rate Contract basis. The last date for Tender quarries/clarification is Date:14-10-2025 till 5.0pm. Last date for online submission of tender with EMD is **Date:16-10-2025 till 5.30 p.m.** Date of opening of Technical bid is **date:18-10-2025 at 11.30 a.m.** and Date of opening of Financial bid is d**ate: 27-10-2025 at 11.30 a.m** For further details, contact the above said during office hours and through KPP-Portal by logging in **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in.**

Sd/- Executive Engineer, CNNL., No.2 VCC Division, Mysuru

CITY UNION BANK LIMITED

Credit Recovery and Management Department
Administrative Office : No. 24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612 001. **E-Mail id :** crmd@cityunionbank.in, **Ph :** 0435-2432322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746

TENDER-CUM-AUCTION SALE NOTICE UNDER SARFAESI ACT 2002

The following property/ies mortgaged to **City Union Bank Limited** will be sold in Tender-cum Public Auction by the Authorised Officer of the Bank, under Rule 8 (6) & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, under the SARFAESI Act, 2002, for recovery of a sum of **Rs.24,39,859/- (Rupees Twenty Four Lakh Thirty Nine Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Nine only)** as on **25-09-2025** together with further interest to be charged from **26-09-2025** onwards and other expenses, any other dues to the Bank by the borrowers / guarantors **No.1) Mr. N. Narasimhaiah, S/o. V. Narasimha Murthy, Gnanaganga Nilaya, Upstairs, Railway Station Road, Tumkur - 572101, Karnataka. No.2) Mrs. N. Bhagya, W/o. Narasimhaiah, Gnanaganga Nilaya, Upstairs, Railway Station Road, Tumkur - 572101, Karnataka.**

Immovable Properties Mortgaged to our Bank

Schedule - A : (Property Owned by Mr. N. Narasimhaiah, S/o. V. Narasimha Murthy)

All the piece and parcel of the Shop No.134, Old No.199, BBMP PID No.28-46-134, measuring : East-West 11¼ feet and North-South10¾ feet in all 120.75 Sq.Feet together 1/6th Undivided Share right title and interest out of Total extent 324.50 ft.Sq.feet with building constructed thereon situated at Kilari Road, Bangalore, Bounded by : East : Muniraju and H. Siddappas Property, West : Property of V. Lakshmi Prasad, North : Portion of Same Property allotted to N. Prakash, South : Kilari Road.

Reserve Price : Rs.23,00,000/-
(Rupees Twenty Three Lakh only)

AUCTION DETAILS	
Date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale	**Venue**
11-11-2025	**City Union Bank Limited, Bengaluru-Sultanpet Branch,** No.349, Komarala Towers, OTC Road, Chickpet Main Road, Bengaluru, Bengaluru Urban - 560053. Ph. No.080-22870328, Cell Nos.9342874656, 8925964904.

Terms and Conditions of Tender-cum-Auction Sale :

(1) The intending bidders should be present in person for the auction and participate personally and give a declaration in writing to the effect that he/she is bidding for himself/ herself. **(2)** The intending bidders may obtain the Tender Forms from **The Manager, City Union Bank Limited, Bengaluru-Sultanpet Branch, No.349, Komarala Towers,OTC Road, Chickpet Main Road, Bengaluru, Bengaluru Urban - 560053. (3)** The intending bidders should submit their bids only in the Tender Form prescribed in sealed envelopes addressed to **The Authorised Officer, City Union Bank Ltd.,** together with a Pay Order / Demand Draft for an EMD of **10%** of the Reserve Price, drawn in favour of **"City Union Bank Ltd.", on or before 12.00 Noon** on the date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale hereby notified. **(4)** For inspection of the property and other particulars, the intending purchaser may contact **Telephone No.080-22870328, Cell Nos. 9342874656, 8925964904. (5)** The property/ies are sold on "As-is-where-is", "As-is-what-is" and "whatever-there is" basis. **(6)** The sealed tenders will be opened in the presence of the intending bidders at **01.00 p.m.** on the date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale hereby notified. Though in general the sale will be by way of closed tenders, the Authorised Officer may, at his sole discretion, conduct an Open Auction among the interested bidders who desire to quote a bid higher than the one received in the closed tender process, and in such an event, the sale shall be conferred on the person making highest bid. The sale, however, is subject to confirmation of City Union Bank Limited. **(7)** The successful bidder shall have to pay **25% (inclusive of EMD paid)** of the sale amount **immediately** on completion of sale and the balance amount of **75%** within **15 days** from the date of confirmation of sale, failing which the initial deposit of **25%** shall be forfeited. **(8)** The Sale Certificate will be issued by the Authorised Officer in favour of the successful purchaser only after receipt of the entire sale consideration within the time limit stipulated herein. **(9)** The successful purchaser shall bear the charges/fees payable for conveyance, such as stamp duty, registration fee etc., as applicable under law. **(10)** The successful bidder should pay the statutory dues (lawful house tax, electricity charges and other dues), TDS, GST if any, due to Government, Government Undertaking and local bodies. **(11)** The Authorised Officer shall have all the powers to accept or reject the bids or postpone or cancel the sale without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Place : Kumbakonam, Date : 29-09-2025 **Authorised Officer**

Regd. Office : 149, T.S.R. (Big) Street, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu - 612 001, **CIN -** L65110TN1904PLC001287, **Telephone No.** 0435-2402322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746, **Website :** www.cityunionbank.com

S. E. RAILWAY – TENDER

e-Tenders are invited by Divisional Railway Manager (Engg), S.E.Railway, Chakradharpur for & on behalf of the President of India against open tender for the following works. Manual offers are not allowed against these tenders and any such manual offer received shall be ignored. **Sl. No. & Tender Notice No.; Name of work; Tender value; EMD: (1) CKP-WEST-25-26-23, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of zonal work for Track and level crossing maintenance etc under Sr. Section Engineer (P-Way)/Bondamunda-I for the period ending up to 30.09.2027 (for two years i.e. from 01.10.2025 to 30.09.2027) under the jurisdiction of Sr. Divisional Engineer/West/Chakradharpur; ₹ 1,18,79,973.06; ₹ 2,09,400/-. **(2) CKP-WEST-25-26-24, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of zonal work for Track and level crossing maintenance etc. under Sr. Section Engineer (P-Way)/Rourkela for the period ending up to 30.09.2027 (for two years i.e. from 01.10.2025 to 30.09.2027) under the jurisdiction of Sr. Divisional Engineer/West/Chakradharpur; ₹ 1,38,59,999.82; ₹ 2,19,300/-. **(3) CKP-WEST-25-26-25, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of zonal work for Track and level crossing maintenance etc under Sr. Section Engineer (P-Way)/Rajgangpur for the period ending up to 30.09.2027 (for two years i.e. from 01.10.2025 to 30.09.2027) under the jurisdiction of Sr. Divisional Engineer/West/Chakradharpur; ₹ 1,97,99,999.90; ₹ 2,49,000/-. **(4) CKP-WEST-25-26-26, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of zonal work for Track and level crossing maintenance etc under Sr. Section Engineer (P-Way)/Jharsuguda for the period ending up to 30.09.2027 (for two years i.e. from 01.10.2025 to 30.09.2027) under the jurisdiction of Sr. Divisional Engineer/West/Chakradharpur; ₹ 1,97,99,999.90; ₹ 2,49,000/-. **(5) CKP-WEST-25-26-27, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of zonal work for Track and level crossing maintenance etc. between Jharsuguda - Sardega from Ch 0 - Ch 50 under Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Jharsuguda for period ending upto 30.09.2027 (for two years i.e. from 01.10.2025 to 30.09.2027) under the jurisdiction of Sr. Divisional Engineer/West/Chakradharpur; ₹ 2,59,66,799.84; ₹ 2,79,800/-. **(6) CKP-WEST-25-26-28, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of zonal works for service/residential buildings etc. in way side station between Tangarmunda-Panposh station under Sr. Section Engineer (Works)/Jharsuguda for period ending upto 30.06.2027 (2nd Call); ₹ 1,38,00,000/-; ₹ 2,19,000/-. **(7) CKP-CENTRAL-25-26-36, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track Maintenance work under Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Chakradharpur for period ending up to 30.09.2027 (for two years i.e. from 01.10.2025 to 30.09.2027) under the jurisdiction of Divisional Engineer/Central/Chakradharpur; ₹ 1,69,29,000/-; ₹ 2,34,700/-. **(8) CKP-CENTRAL-25-26-37, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track and level crossing maintenance works under the jurisdiction of Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Dumerta from 'A' cabin (km 407/11) to Chandiposi (km 438/0) & from Dumerta (km 412/11) to link C (km 579/5) line for the period ending up to 30.09.2027; ₹ 1,25,73,000/-; ₹ 2,12,900/-. **(9) CKP-CENTRAL-25-26-38, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track and level crossing maintenance works under the jurisdiction of Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way-II)/Bondamunda for the period ending up to 30.09.2027; ₹ 1,93,05,000/-; ₹ 2,46,500/-. **(10) CKP-CENTRAL-25-26-39, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track and level crossing maintenance works under the jurisdiction of Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Manoharpur for the period ending up to 30.09.2027; ₹ 2,22,75,000/-; ₹ 2,61,400/-. **(11) CKP-CENTRAL-25-26-40, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track and Level Crossing Maintenance works under the Jurisdiction of Sr. Section Engineer/P.Way/Dumerta from section Chandiposi (KM EX-438/0) to Barsuan (KM 475/0) for the Period ending up to 30.09.2027; ₹ 1,58,40,000/-; ₹ 2,29,200/-. **(12) CKP-CENTRAL-25-26-41, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track and level crossing maintenance works under the jurisdiction of Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Bimalgarh for the period ending up to 30.09.2027; ₹ 1,68,30,000/-; ₹ 2,34,200/-. **(13) CKP-EAST-25-26-23, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track maintenance work under Sr. Section Engineer(P. Way)/Sini for the Period Ending upto 30.09.2027; ₹ 1,98,09,899.99; ₹ 2,49,100/-. **(14) CKP-EAST-25-26-24, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track maintenance work under Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Adityapur for the Period Ending upto 30.09.2027; ₹ 1,58,39,999.99; ₹ 2,29,200/-. **(15) CKP-EAST-25-26-25, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track maintenance work under Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Tatanagar for the Period Ending upto 30.09.2027; ₹ 1,43,55,000/-; ₹ 2,21,800/-. **(16) CKP-EAST-25-26-26, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track maintenance work between station Tatanagar-Aunlajori, Aunlajori-Gorumahisani & Aunlajori-Badampahar under Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Bahalda Road for the Period Ending upto 30.09.2027; ₹ 1,28,70,000/-; ₹ 2,14,400/-. **(17) CKP-SOUTH-25-26-12, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track Maintenance work under Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Chaibasa for period ending upto 30.09.2027 (i.e. for two years) under the jurisdiction of Sr. Divisional Engineer/South/Chakradharpur; ₹ 2,77,68,600/-; ₹ 2,88,900/-. **(18) CKP-SOUTH-25-26-13, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track Maintenance work under Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Dangoaposi for period ending upto 30.09.2027 (i.e. for two years) under the jurisdiction of Sr. Divisional Engineer/South/Chakradharpur; ₹ 3,19,83,300/-; ₹ 3,09,900/-. **(19) CKP-SOUTH-25-26-14, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track Maintenance work under Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Banspani for period ending upto 30.09.2027.(i.e. for two years) under the jurisdiction of Sr. Divisional Engineer/South/Chakradharpur; ₹ 3,59,28,000/-; ₹ 3,29,600/-. **(20) CKP-SOUTH-25-26-15, dated 26.09.2025;** Execution of Track Maintenance work under Sr. Section Engineer (P.Way)/Bara Jamda for period ending upto 30.09.2027 (i.e. for two years) under the jurisdiction of Sr. Divisional Engineer/South/Chakradharpur; ₹ 2,77,84,800/-; ₹ 2,88,900/-. **Cost of Tender Form :** 0.00 for each. **Date of Opening :** 21.10.2025 for each. The tender can be viewed at Web site **http://www.ireps.gov.in** The tenderer/bidders must have Class-III Digital Signature Certificate & must be registered under on IREPS portal. Only registered tenderer/bidder can participate on e-tendering. **Note :** e-Tender Forms shall be issued free of cost to all tenderers. (Authority–Railway Board's letter No. 2020/CE-I/CT/3E/GCC/Policy dtd. 16.07.2020). **(PR-678)**

TOWN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL MADHUGIRI

Tumkur District, Phone : 08137 - 282328, 283866,
E-mail : ka.madhugiri.tmc@gmail.com
Website : www.madhugiritown.town.gov.in

No. : T.M.C./J.E./Tender/CR/03/2025-26 **Date : 29-09-2025**

TENDER NOTIFICATION

For Tender Details KPPP Portal Website (https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in)

As per KTTP Act 1999 - 2000 Rule 2000, **Chief Officer, Town Municipal Council Madhugiri** was invited Tender for Works under **AMRUT 2.0 Grants** from eligible tenderer can participate Tender for the following Works in KPPP Portal **Website : https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

WORK INDENT : 1) DMA/2025-26/OW/WORK-INDENT-49862, Tender Cost (Rs. Lakhs) : 71.43, WORK INDENT : 2) DMA/2025-26/OW/WORK-INDENT-49842, Tender Cost (Rs. Lakhs) : 48.42, Last Date of Receipt of Tender : 13-10-2025 @ 5.30 p.m., Date for Opening Technical Bid : 14-10-2025 @ 5.30 p.m., Date for Opening Financial Bid : 15-10-2025 @5.30 p.m.

Note : For more Information contact office during working hours.

Sd/- President, TMC, Madhugiri **Sd/- Vice President, TMC, Madhugiri** **Sd/- Chief Officer, TMC, Madhugiri**

DIPR/Tumakuru/26/Manipal/2025-26

Aadhar Housing Finance Ltd.

Corporate Office : 802, Natraj By Rustomjee, Western Express Highway, Sir M.V. Road, Andheri East, Mumbai - 400 069, Maharashtra.
Nelamangala Branch : 1st floor, Katha No. 658/A, Vinayaka Nagar, Arishinakunte, Near Honda Showroom, Nelamangala, Banglore-562123, (Karnataka). District - Bangalore Rural

APPENDIX IV POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Aadhar Housing Finance Limited (AHFL) under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, Demand Notice(s) issued by the Authorised Officer of the company to the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s) mentioned herein below to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s) and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-Section (4) of the Section 13 of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement rules, 2002. The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub –section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of AHFL for an amount as mentioned herein under with interest thereon.

Sl No.	Name of the Borrower(s) / Co-Borrower / Guarantor (s)	Description of the Immovable property	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Date of Possession
1.	**(Combine Loan Code No.: 22800000044 Nelamangala Branch) Nandini N Acharya** (Borrower) **Late. Lokesh Acharya (Represented Through The Legal Heir)** (Co-Borrower)	Eastern Portion of Site No.70, Assessment No.102,E-Khatha No.150200201600612543, Lakshmipura Village Khatha No.36, Measuring East To West 20 Feet And North To South 30 Feet, Totally Measuring 600 Sq Feet Along With Residential Rcc House, Situated At Lakshmipura Village, Dasanpura Hobli, Bangaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru. and Bounded on The **: East :** Site No. 56; **West :** Remaining Western Portion Site No.70; **North :** Site No.71; **South :** South : Road	**16-Apr-25 ₹ 1276578**	**29-Sep-25**

Place : Nelamangala **Authorised Officer**
Date : 04.10.2025 **Aadhar Housing Finance Limited**

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सं. 4203] नई दिल्ली, मंगलवार, सितम्बर 23, 2025/आश्विन 1, 1947
No. 4203] NEW DELHI, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2025/ASVINA 1, 1947

MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 23rd September, 2025

S.O. 4321(E).—Whereas by the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, 1788(E) Dated:17/04/2025 , published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-section (ii) issued under sub-section (1) of section 3A of the National Highway Act, 1956 (48 of 1956) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), the Central Government declared its intention to acquire the land specified in the Schedule annexed to the said notification for building (widening/two lane with paved shoulder/four laning etc.),

Maintenance, management and operation of NH169(Old NH13) in the stretch of land from Km. 0.00 to Km. 2.48 (Shivamogga-Mangalore Section) in the district of SHIVAMOGGA in the state of KARNATAKA

And whereas the substance of the said notification has been published in "The Times of India" dated 23/04/2025 , "Vijaya Karnataka" dated 23/04/2025 ; under sub-section (3) of section 3A of the said Act;

And whereas the Competent Authority has received objections filed under Section 3-C, considered and settled the same appropriately;

And whereas, in pursuance of sub-section (1) of section 3D of the said Act, the competent authority has submitted its report to the Central Government;

Now, therefore, upon receipt of the said report of the competent authority and in exercise of the powers conferred by the sub-section (1) of section 3D of the said Act, the Central Government hereby declares that the land specified in the said Schedule should be acquired for the aforesaid purpose;

And further, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of section 3D of the said Act, the Central Government hereby declares that on publication of this notification in the Official Gazette, the land specified in the said Schedule shall vest absolutely in the Central Government, free from all encumbrances.

SCHEDULE : Brief Description of the land to be acquired with or without structures falling within the stretch of land from Km. 0.00 to Km. 2.480(Shivamogga - Mangalore section) of NH169(Old NH13) in the state of KARNATAKA.

State: KARNATAKA			District: SHIVAMOGGA		
S.No.	Survey / Plot Number	Type of Land	Nature of Land	Area (in Hectares)	Name of Land Owner/Interested Person
1	2	3	4	5	6
Taluk: Shivamogga					
Village: Harakere					
1	224	Private	Dry/ NAK	0.012	Managing Trust Kanchi - Kama Koti Medical Trust(797/224/2/225)
2	225	Private	Dry/ NAK	0.0152361	Managing Trust Kanchi - Kama Koti Medical Trust(797/224/2/225)
3	Gramatana	Common (Government/Private)	Dry/ NAK	0.0688255	V Jograj(170/791) V Harichand(709/351P) Geverchand (710/351P) SA Ayub Ahmed bin Late Abdul Rahim(507/33/2 S07/2,33/2) Usman Sharif bin late Basha Sab(526/10) Abishal494/26, 495/27, 496/28, 497/29, 831/36/25) Siddeshwarappa(492/23) Mohamed dayyan(520/1) Sisiliya Rebelo(521/9) Ahmed ushenKarim(520/8) Tabsam C/o Nowshad (511/36) Aboobhkar bin Mohamed(518/6) Annapurana bin Anapa Gowda(517/S) Mahesh S M bin Sharanappa(522/45) Adhyksharu Shree Kalikamba Devastana samiti Harakere -Gandhi Bazar Shimoga(S23/1)
Village: Mandli					
4	Gramatana	Common (Government/Private)	Dry/ NAK	0.0738213	M.P. Chandrappa bin Lt Pilappa(141/2-764/2)Inayitha alibeg bin Shahajad alibeg(200/1-819/1) Nusrat Zabin c/o Igbal Khan(234/849) Mohammed Ateek yane Asif bin Lt.Davoodh(233/848)

State: KARNATAKA			District: SHIVAMOGGA		
S. No.	Survey / Plot Number	Type of Land	Nature of Land	Area (in Hectares)	Name of Land Owner/Interested Person
					Saiyyad Masisulla bin Saiyyad Ismail(232/1-847/1) Saiyyad karim bin Saiyyad Gafar(232/847) Smt. Baby H Co Ramesh M.R(231/3-846/3) Smt. Renuka M.H. Co Shekarppa P(231/1- 841/1) Abdul Hameed bin Mohammed Dastagir Sab(229/844) Mohammed Mustag bin Abdul Jaheer(228/842) Abdul Razak Saheb(226/8420) Nooruddin bin Abdul Hameed (Safiulla)(225/841) Mohammed Jabiulla (225/1) Mohammed Zahirulla (225/2) Gous Mohiddin(225/3) Revenue (Saiyyed Shakil c/o Syed Asmath(221/837) Sayad Ameer bin late Saiyyad akbar(220/1836/4) Savyiad Rahoof bin Late Saiyyad Akbar(220/4/836/4) Mohammed Yosuf bin late Mohammaed Gous(219/835) Mohammed Gous Shareef, Mukbul Unnisa, Mubeena, Mymunnisa, Badrunnisa Joint khate(217/833/3) Rehana Begam (Joint Khat)(218/834) Faziannisa Co Ameer Khan(215/831/1) Saiyyad Ahmed yane Fazil bin syed abdul rahim(213/2 830/2) Mohammed Basha bin Mohamed shak(213/1-830/1) Fahimunnisa c/o Late Ina & Ina Taj Mulla Hath(211/1 829-1) Rehaman Khan bin Late Ajibh Khan(210/1- 828/1) Amanulla Khan bin Ajibh Khan(210/3- 828/3) Ummerukhan c/o Mohammed Nahid Jafar(209/827/1)Athikulla Khan bin Khuddur Khan(207/1-826/1) Adil Khan bin Khuddur Khan(207/1-826) Samiulla Khan bin Bhuran Khan(205/824) Ahmed bin Late Akbar Khan, Shabin Khanam, Nagma Khanam, Shahira Khanm Soofa
					Khan (Joint) (205/6 824/6) Hamzad Pasha bin Late Abdul Azeez(206/1-825/1) Sadhik Pasha bn GK Khalil Ahmed(204/823) Shaeeda Co Athaulla Khan M.M. Nahim Udhin bin MM Maruhara Udhin(202/821) Bhasheer Ahmed bin Abdul Khalal(200/819) Khusthar Bhanu Co Ameer Ahmed(197/3-816/3) |Aajhara Ahmed bin late Afrobh Bhash & Attar Pasha bin Afrobha Bhash(198/817) Abdul Azeed bn Abdul Rehaman(193/812) Sadat Unnisa bin Late Mohammed Riyaz(196/185 Hbhimabi co LateMohammed issa(195/814 Abdul Hafeez bn Abdul Rehaman(194/813 Hazi Navab sab Mohammed Yosuf Khan yane sabab & Abhrahim Khan(191/1-809/1) Khaji Abdullla bin Late Khaji Abdul Mujib(192/811 Khurshid Co Sanavulla Khan(190/1-810/1) Shamshad Begam & Krishad Begam & 6 Members Joint Khat(190/810) Abdul Rashid bn Sabyan Sab(185/803) Mohamed Ibhrahim & Nasrulla bin Late Abdul Rashid(183/821) Abdul Shukkur bin Late Abdul Bhasir(181-800) Gayathramma c/o Marlikarjuna(182/800/1) Noorgulnaja c/o Sayyed Asif(180/799/1) Dilshad Unnisa c/o SaiyyadNazeer Ahmed(177/2 797/2) Syed Sabbir Ahmed Syed ShbbirAhmed & S Members Joint Khat(176/796) Saiyyad Habibulla bn Saivyad Jafar(175/795) Saiyyad Ummar bin Saiyyad abbas(172/793)Abeedha Begam C/o H MuneerAhmed(171/792) Hindusthan Urdu School (Maszid Place) (170/791)
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SHAIKH AMINKHAN, Director

HOPES FADE FOR END TO U.S. SHUTDOWN AS DON READIES CUTS

Trump pauses $2.1 billion in aid for Chicago infra projects, declares 'war' on cities

WASHINGTON

HOPES for a quick end to the government shutdown were fading Friday as Republicans and Democrats dug in for a prolonged fight and President Donald Trump readied plans to unleash layoffs and cuts across the federal government.

Senators were headed back to the Capitol for another vote on government funding on the third day of the shutdown, but there has been no sign of any real progress toward ending their standoff. Democrats are demanding that Congress extend health care benefits, while Republicans are trying to wear them down with day after day of voting on a House-passed bill that would reopen the government temporarily, mostly at current spending levels.

"I don't know how many times you're going to give them a chance to vote no," Senate Majority Leader John Thune said at a news conference Friday. He added that he would give Democratic senators the weekend to think it over.

The U.S. Capitol in Washington, as the Trump-led government preparing for layoffs and fund cuts as part of the ongoing federal government shutdown | AFP

Although Republicans control the White House and both chambers of Congress, the Senate's filibuster rules make it necessary for the government funding legislation to gain support from at least 60 of the 100 senators. That's given Democrats a rare opportunity to use their 47 Senate seats to hold out in exchange for policy concessions. The party has chosen to rally on the issue of health care, believing it could be key to their path back to power in Washington. Their primary demand is that Congress extend tax credits that were boosted during the COVID-19 pandemic for health care plans offered under the Affordable Care Act.

Trump has called the government funding lapse an "unprecedented opportunity" to make vast cuts to federal agencies and potentially lay off federal workers, rather than the typical practice of furloughing them. White House budget director Russ Vought has already announced he is withholding infrastructure funds in states with Democratic senators. *AP*

ASIA MATTERS

PASIR GUDANG GAS LEAK LEAVES 2 DEAD

MALAYSIA: 2 operators died while another is still receiving treatment at a hospital after inhaling toxic gas during an incident at a scheduled waste management and treatment plant in the Pasir Gudang Industrial Estate, here on Tuesday (Sept 30). An investigation is underway to identify the cause of the accident involving three operators.

PROFILE

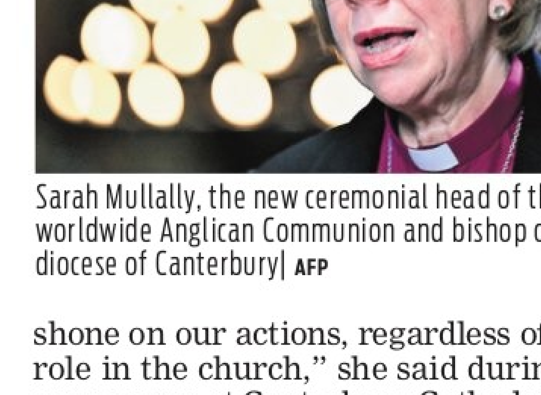
Sarah Mullally is 1st female Archbishop of Church of England

LONDON

A 63-year-old former nurse, Sarah Mullally, was named as the first female Archbishop of Canterbury on Friday, pledging to improve safety at the Church of England following an abuse scandal that ousted her predecessor.

The former midwife becomes the first woman to lead the centuries-old mother church of the world's 85-million strong Anglican community. Her nomination by a committee tasked with finding a successor to Justin Welby, who stepped down earlier this year, was approved by King Charles III, the UK government said in a statement.

Mullally acknowledged the "huge responsibility" of her new role and vowed to "confront the dynamics of power" that had led the church to cover up the abuse of dozens of boys and young men several decades ago. She cautioned that it would "not be easy", due to a "history of safeguarding failures" that has "left a legacy of deep harm and mistrust" in the Church of England, which can trace its origins back to the Roman Empire.



Sarah Mullally, the new ceremonial head of the worldwide Anglican Communion and bishop of diocese of Canterbury| AFP

"We must all be willing to have light shone on our actions, regardless of our role in the church," she said during an appearance at Canterbury Cathedral following her appointment. Mullally, who is married with two children, will become the 106th Archbishop of Canterbury, the first having been appointed in the late sixth century, when she officially takes up the role following a ceremony due in January. Ordained a priest in 2002, she became the first female Bishop of London in 2018, four years after the church let women bishops following years of factional wrangling. *AFP*

Munich airport temporarily shuttered after drone sightings

MUNICH Airport was temporarily shut down on Friday after several drone sightings in the area, the latest mysterious drone overflights in the airspace of European Union member countries, officials said. Germany's air traffic control restricted flights at the airport shortly after 10 pm (2000 GMT) on Thursday and then halted them altogether, airport operators said in a statement. Seventeen flights were unable to take off, affecting almost 3,000 passengers, while 15 arriving flights were diverted to three other airports in Germany and one in Vienna, Austria. A statement from the airport early Friday said there had been 'several drone sightings,' without elaborating. Stefan Bayer, spokesperson for airport police, said airline employees and 'regular people around the airport' were among witnesses who saw the drones. AFP

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client **MR. UPENDRA CHARI PONNAGANTI,** S/o. Yadhagiri Ponnaganti, aged about 69 years, R/at. 182 Gokulam, G K V K Layout, Jakkur, Ganesha Temple, Bangalore North, Jakkur, Bengaluru Karnataka - 560064. Is intending to purchase the schedule property to acquire/purchase the under mentioned Schedule Property from **MR. N. MADHESWARAN,** S/o. Narayanappa, aged about 51 years, Residing at No.156, 3rd Main, 7th Cross, Margosa Road, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560 003.

The public is hereby inform that any person/s having any manner of right/s, claim/s, charge/s, objection/s against / in respect of the under mentioned Schedule Property may notify to my advocate NARAYANA RAO, # 44, 4th cross, Byraveshwara Nagar, Shettihalli, Bengaluru-560015, within 7 days from the date of Publication of this Notice along with documentary proof in support of the same, to the fallowing Whatsapp No 9480430019, or Email Id ansslaw2002@gmail.com, failing which my client shall proceed to purchase the Schedule Property and he/she will complete the transaction as if no valid claims are subsisting against the Schedule Property and further no claim shall be entertained thereafter.

'A' – SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the agriculture land bearing Sy. No. 11/3 Old and 11/5 new measuring 15 Guntas out of measuring 21 Guntas, on the assessment of Rs. 0.76, bounded on the: East by:Rathanamma's Land, West by:Government Road, North by:Rathanamma's Land, South by:Hithaishi's Land,

'B' – SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the agriculture land bearing Sy No. 12/1 Measuring 13 guntas on the assessment of Rs. 0.64, bounded on the: East by:Munegowda's Land, West by: Rathanamma's Land, North by: Veera Byrappa's, Land, South by :Hithaishi's Land,

'C' – SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the agriculture land bearing Sy No's 12/2 measuring 12 Guntas, on the assessment of Rs. 0.51, bounded on the: East by:Appannagowda's Land, West by :Rathanamma's Land, North by: Veera Byrappa's, Land South by: Narayanappa's Land,

All the above schedule 'A' to 'C' are situated at Galibilikote Village, Doddabelavangala Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bangalore Rural District.

Sd/- **NARAYANA RAO,** Advocate
Office # 44, 4th Cross, Bhyraveshwaranagara, Shettihalli, Jalahalli West Post, Bangalore-560015. **Mobile: 094804 30019**

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e-Tender Notice No.DRM/Works/ BZA/27/2025 dt.29.09.2025

PUB/1234

For and on behalf of the President of India, the undersigned invites E-Tendrs for the following works up to **15-00** hours and the date mentioned against each.

S.No.: 01 **Tender No.:** E-38-EAST-BZA-2025 **Name of work:** Bhimavaram Jn-Development of Goods shed at BVRM station in SSE/W/BVRM section SW-I: Provision of Hamali's shed with well Aerated shed with Drinking water, Concrete seating & Dining Facility and Toilet & open shower facilities for about 150 labourer for a location at BVRM in SSE/Works/BVRM section. SW-II: Provision of two wheeler parking stand with proper fencing for Hamaies at BVRM in SSE/Works/BVRM section. SW-III: Provision of Boundary wall with gates along the Goods Shed with plantation inside the Boundary at BVRM station in SSE/Wroks/BVRM section. SW-IV: Dismanting of existing old Goods shed building and laying PCC for levelling at BVRM in SSE/Wroks/BVRM section **Tender value (₹):** 3,31,32,268/- **E.M.D (₹):** 3,15,700/- **Period of completion:** 12(Twelve Months) **Date of closing:** 22/10/2025

S.No.: 02 **Tender No.:** E-33-North-BZA-2025 **Name of work:** BZA-VSKP SECTION: RVD - Development of Goods Shed at RVD station in ADEN/RJY Sub Division under DEN/North/BZA jurisdiction (Umbrella Works) **Tender value (₹):** 13,20,11,638/- **E.M.D (₹):** 8,10,100/- **Period of completion:** 12(Twelve Months) **Date of closing:** 22/10/2025

1. Tender conditions/other particulars such as the details of Name of work in full, the similar nature of the above works, eligibility criteria etc., are available in the Tender documents published in website at "**www.ireps.gov.in**".
2. The prospective tenderers are advised to visit website "**www.ireps.gov.in**". before the date of tender closing to note any changes/ corrigenda for any tender.
3. The Tender Notice is also displayed in the Notice Board located in the office of Divisional Railway Manager (Works), S.C.Railway, Vijayawada and ADEN sub-divisional offices of Vijayawada Division which can be seen.
4. The Railway reserves the right to cancel the tender without assigning any reason thereto.

Divisional Railway Manager (Works), Vijayawada

TENDER NOTICE NO: 40/2025 Dt.03.10.2025.
SUPPLY OF STORES ITEMS
e-Procurement Tender Notice

PUB/1237

The Following Tenders Have Been Floated Online. Tenders Are Requested To Visit The Website **www.ireps.gov.in** And Submit Their Offers Online. The Tender Description, Qty, EMD, SD May Be Seen In Website. Offers Submitted Manually Will Not Be Accepted. Offers By Post Will Not Be Entertained. Tender Closing Time Is 14.30 Hrs Of The Due Date Of The Tender. "For All Indigenous Offers, EMD Will Be Accepted Only Via Online System As Available On **www.ireps.gov.in**."

Tender No.	Brief Description
LS235597B	Heavy Duty Turning Lathe
LS255231B	Secondary lashing chain for BRST/BOM/BWT wagon
46251024	Disconnecting and Earthing device,8 pole 2 way
33231010C	Set of 25 Items for Manufacturing of fiat Bogies
66257690	Track Machine spares of Plasser make
38255013	Ram Assembly suitable to 10inch &11inch BMBS Brake cylinder

Note:-Due dates of Tender Opening: SL.No.01 on dt.10.10.2025.SL.No. 02 on dt.17.10.2025. SL.No.03 on dt.20.10.2025 SL.No.4 on dt.27.10.2025.SL No.5 on dt 03.11.2025.SL.No.06 on.dt.23.10.2025

Beside Above Mentioned Tenders There Are Other Tenders Having Value Above **Rs.50 Lakhs.**

For Details, Please Visit Railway Website Above.

Principal Chief Materials Manager/Secunderabad

IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -2

4th Floor, BSNL Building
Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru -560 001

O.A. No. 83/2023

In the Matter of : State Bank of India, RACPC, Koramangala, Bengaluru (through SARB) **...Applicant Bank**

And

Mr. Rajashekar M., S/o. Late Muniraju **....Defendant**

SUMMONS TO THE DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF RBD Act, 1993 (as amended)

To: Mr. Rajashekar M.,S/o. Late Muniraju aged about 31 years, S No.92 , 4th Cross Road, 17th Main Road, J.C. Nagar, Kurubarahalli, Basaveshwara Medical, Bengaluru - 560 086 (M) 9538596007, PAN: AYQPR1760E. **....Defendants**

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an Application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts and Bankruptcy Act, 1993 (as amended), against the Defendants for a sum of Rs.69,67,039/- mentioned in the Original Application together with current and future interest and for other relief's. The above mentioned Defendant/s is/are therefore hereby directed appear before this Hon'ble Tribunal in person or through an Advocate duly authorised agent in support of his/her defense, within 30 days from the date of publication or **on 17.11.2025 at 10.30 a.m.**, as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default, the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on this 19.09.2025

Sd/- Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal-2 ,
Bangalore- 560 001.

IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -2

4th Floor, BSNL Building
Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru -560 001

O.A. No. 1015/2021

In the Matter of : State Bank of India, ...Applicant

And

Mrs. Sooria P. and Another **....Defendant**

SUMMONS TO THE DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF RBD Act, 1993 (as amended)

To: 1. Mrs. Sooria P. M. W/o. Sreekumar A.,
2. Mr. Sreekumar A. S/o. Aniyappan N
Both Res: H. No. 127, Jacobs Bethel, 4th Cross, Prithvi Layout, ECC Road, Whitefield, Bengaluru - 560 066
Also at : Flat No. 603, 6th Floor, Asset Aura,Gunjur Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk.
Also at : C/o. National Institute of Oceanography, Regional Centre, Kozhikode-682 018. **....Defendants No. 1 and 2**

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an Application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts and Bankruptcy Act, 1993 (as amended), against the Defendants for a sum of Rs.32,44,075/- mentioned in the Original Application together with current and future interest and for other relief's.

The above mentioned Defendant/s is/are therefore hereby directed appear before this Hon'ble Tribunal in person or through an Advocate duly authorised agent in support of his/her defense, within 30 days from the date of publication or **on 12.11.2025 at 10.30 a.m.**, as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.Take notice that in case of default, the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on this 24.07.2025

Sd/- Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal-2 ,
Bangalore- 560 001.

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER (through https://ireps.gov.in)

PUB/1238

CE/C-V/SC and CE/CII/SC Construction Organisation, S.C.Railway, Secunderabad, respectively, invites e-tender on behalf of the President of India for the following works:

1. NIT No: 23-CAO-C-SC-2025 Date:29/09/2025 **Name of work** : SCR Construction Organisation - Nanded Division - "Conversion of track from MG to BG between Akola-Akot stations: Conversion of One Train Only System of Working to Absolute Block System of Working duly Constructing of Terminal station, TTM siding platforms, TTM rest rooms at Akot station, Connected works related to crossing stations, and other miscellaneous works for existing station buildings, COP, FOB, platforms etc at Ugwe, Patsul, Gandhi Smarak and Akot . Transportation of rails, sleepers & p-way materials, Laying & Linking of BG track assembling, insertion of points and crossings Ugwe, Patsul, Gandhi Smarak and Akot in Maharashtra State and Surface Connection / New Crossing station in MP state." **Estimated Cost: (₹)** 20,83,39,574.55 **EMD : (₹)** 11,91,700.00 **Completion Period:** 18 (Eighteen) Months. **Date of Opening:** 21/10/2025 15:00hrs

2. NIT No: 24-CAO-C-SC-2025 Date:29/09/2025 **Name of work** :SCR Construction Organization--Secunderabad - Guntur Section: Construction of Rail Over Rail (ROR) Bridge at Pagidipalli station, Execution of Earth work in embankment & cutting, blanketing to RDSO standards, Construction of Major bridges, Minor bridges & Road Under Bridges (RUBs), Supply & dumping of Ballast, Transportation of P.Way materials, Laying & Linking of BG Track, Assembling & Insertion of P&Cs, CTR of Loop Lines and execution of miscellaneous Civil works including Electrification works in connection with Rail Over Rail Line between Bibinagar (Including Yard) and Bommaipalli (Excluding Yard) stations. **Estimated Cost: (₹)** 83,51,75,248.84 **EMD : (₹)** 43,25,900.00 **Completion Period:** 24 (Twenty Four) Months. **Date of Opening:** 23/10/2025 15:00hrs

i) For bid document and other details, please login to website https://ireps.gov.in.
ii) Tenderers can submit their offers online during tender submission period which is the Fifteen days period prior to closing of tender.
iii) Tenderers should watch for any corrigenda (issued online only) up to the date of commencement of the tender submission period.

Chief Admn.Officer/Const./ Secunderabad

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For further tender conditions / details and for downloading the tender documents, Please visit website at https://www.ireps.gov.in or www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in

PUBLIC NOTICE

I R. Mahendravarma practicing Advocate and now I issuing public notice on behalf of my clients Mrs. Sudhakabra and Mr. Narendrakumar Kabra both residing at B107, St.Jonh's Wood , Taverekere Main Road, Bangalore-560029 and they have lost original sale deed dated 20.03.2015 and bearing document No.GAN-1-05028-2014-15, Stord in C.D. No.GAND225 and same document duly registered before sub-registrar Gandhinagar and same pertains to Three Bed room apartment / Flat bearing No.306, in 3rd Floor, CARNATION Block, Type-K in the Building known as Alpine Pyramid apartments at Kodigehalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and any person finding the original above document or any person having any claim on same document and in any manner should write to the undersigned with documentary proof in support of your claim within **07 days** of issuances of this notice, failing which my client will proceed on the basis that there are no claims on same documents.

Sd/- **R.Mahendravarma,** Advocate
No.42, R.G.Nagar, M.S.Playa,
Bangalore-560097, Mobile No.: 7795488467.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client, **Mr. SANJIVKUMAR SHRIWAS** S/o. Late. Bholaramji Shriwas, residing at No. T3, Apple Square Apt, Shubh Enclave, 1st Main Road, Haralur Main Road, Ambalipura, Bengaluru - 560103, & others intends to purchase the schedule property mentioned below from its owner Mrs. Rohini Lalvani, W/o. Mr. Karter Singh Lalvani, Aged about 65 years residing at Flat 9, 27-29 Montagu Court, Montagu Square, London WIH 2LG United Kingdom. All persons having any claim, objections, right, title or interest in respect of the schedule property or the transaction may file his / her / their objections in writing with documentary evidence to the under signed within 15 days from the date of Publication of this notice, failing which it will be deemed as no claims and my client will proceed to complete the proposed transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the residential vacant Plot bearing No.19, EPID No.4784656765, Property No.2954/2756/19, being a part/portion of the converted land comprised in the Survey No.64 of Kasavanahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 63' 3" and North to South 153', totally measuring 9677 Square feet (898.99 Square meters), now within the limits of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike and bounded on:

East by : Plot No.20,
West by : Plot No.18,
North By : Plot No.16 and
South by : 50 Feet Road.

S.C. RAJESH KUMAR, Advocate
No.387 & 388, 25th 'B' Main, 22nd Cross, Sector-2, HSR Layout, Bengaluru-560 102.
Mob: +91-94482-39153, Date: 02/10/2015
Email id: scrajeshkumar@yahoo.com

IN THE COURT OF THE XVI ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL & SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU (CCH-12)

O.S. No. 5776 / 2024

Between :

M/s.Federal Bank Ltd.
A Banking Company having its Registered and Head Office at Federal Towers, Aluva, Kerala - 683101.
Represented by its Branch Manager at St. Marks Road Branch,
The Federal Bank Ltd.
At No. 9, Halcyon Complex,
St. Marks Road, Bengaluru - 560001. **... Plaintiff**

And :

Mr. Srinivas .N.G. **... Defendant**

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION UNDER ORDER V RULE 20 OF CPC

Defendant :
Mr. Srinivas .N.G.
S/o. Mr. Gangaraju
R/at : 442, Near Anjanaya Temple, Talakadusubray Beedi, Nelamangala, Bangalore - 562 123.

Whereas, the plaintiff above named has instituted the above suit for recovery of money for sum of **Rs. 5,91,867/- (Rupees Five Lakhs Ninety One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven Only)** along with interest at the rate of **13.55% p.a.** against you, and you are hereby summoned to appear before this Court of the **XVI Additional City Civil & Sessions Judge at Bengalur (CCH-12),** in person or by a pleader, on the day of **7-11-2025 at 11.00 a.m.** to answer the claim, failing to which the suit would be disposed of Ex-Parte.

Given under my hand and seal of this this the **23-09-2025 day of 2025 at Bangalore.**

By Order of the Court
Sd/- Senior Sheristedar
Hon'ble City Civil Court, Bengaluru.

Advocate for Plaintiff :
B.S. Jeevan Kumar, Advocate
Vidhii Partners, No. 701, Queens Corner 'A' # 3, Queens Road, Bengaluru - 01.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice hereby given to the General Public at large that General public are notified that our client Smt. Rama Narayanan W/o M.V Narayanan, Major in age, Resident of No 26/2, Narayana Villa Apartments, 4th Temple street, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003, an Indian inhabitant (Herein after referred to as my client/purchaser) has intended to purchase Schedule B & C residential flat no 9 situated on the third floor of the building constructed in Schedule A property from Smt,Shylini.N W/o Late Narendra Gowda, major in age, resident of No 26/4, Narayana Villa Apartments, 4th Temple street, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003(Herein after referred to as vendor) which is owned and occupied by the vendor which is more particularly described in the schedule of property mentioned below here under which has reached the final stage of culmination.

In view of the above, my client hereby gives notice to the public at large and calls upon all or any person/s who have any right, title, interest over the said property prejudicial to the interest of the vendor and who have already filed any suit, claim, dispute, Petition, appeal or other like proceedings or obtained any decree, award or other order concerning the subject matter of the said property or who intend to file any such proceedings as described above for enforcing their right in the below mentioned property to submit all their objections and claims in writing along with supportive documentary proofs thereof, to the undersigned or my client within a period of **15 days** from the date of this publication of this notice, failing which my client will presume that no adverse claims or objections concerning the below mentioned property exist or if they do exist, they stand waived hereinafter" and in such event my client will proceed to complete the transaction of sale envisaged by both the parties deeming that no claims or whatsoever from anybody in respect of schedule property so please do note.

SCHEDULE A PROPERTY

All that piece, part and parcel of the immoveable property bearing Site No.26, situated at 16th cross, 4th Temple Street, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003, measuring East to West 70 feet and North to South 50 feet. The property is bounded on :

East by : 4th Temple street(30 feet).
West by : Property belonging to Venkatesh Gowda.
North by : House of Basarappaji.
South by : House of Ashwathappa.

SCHEDULE B PROPERTY

Residential Flat No 9 situated on the third floor of the building constructed at Site No.26, situated at 16th cross, 4th Temple Street, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003, having super built up area of 2000 sq feet consisting of three bedrooms with attached bathrooms, hall, kitchen and utility together with one car parking space in the basement floor (old PID No.5-8-26/9) EPID No-1307522954.

SCHEDULE C PROPERTY

1/12th undivided share in the consolidated Schedule A & B property situated at site No.26, situated at 16th cross, 4th Temple Street, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003.

As per instructions of client Smt. Rama Narayanan

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to public at large **Mrs, AMULYA C,** Aged about 30 years, W/o Harshan M, Residing at No.303, 3rd Floor, Dhathri Ellite Apartment, 240/2 Subashchandra Bose Road, 5th Stage, Rajarajeshwari Nagar, Bengaluru South, Bangalore-560098. My clients are willing to purchase the property by availing a loan with Piramal Housing Finance limited by the present property owner. Mr. ADIL HUSEN KHAN, Aged about 33 years, S/o Mr. Ameer Jan, Residing at Mugabala, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore Rural, Karnataka 562114, who as owned the property through Registered Sale Deed Document No.DNH-1-16193-2024-25, Book-I, dated 24/12/2024, my clients further states that any disputes her ownership or possession of the schedule property member of the public are hereby notified that if anyone having any adverse claim in respect of the said property hereby advised to place their claim with appropriate written evidences. please note that claims received without written evidence within 7 Days from the date of publication of this notice there after will not be entertained. SCHEDULE PROPERTY : Site Bearing No. 179, Carved out of Sy. No. 20, (E-Khata No,. 8069/179, PID No. 33-529-471, 1st Ward 1st Division Kokkare Padiya, Vijayapura Purasabhe, Town formed, measuring to an extent of 1 Acre 16 guntas, Sy.No.21, measuring to an extent of 5 Acres 02 Guntas and Sy.No.22 Measuring to an extent of 5 Acres 02 guntas in total measuring 11 acres and 20 guntas, Situated at Devanahalli Vijayapura Road, Kokkae Padiya Village, Vijayapura Hobli, Devanahalli, Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, Now Property bearing Municipal Site No. 179, carved out of Sy.No.20, measuring East to West: 30 Feet and North to South: 40 Feet in all measuring 1200 Square Feet, is bounded on the;

East by : Road, **West by :** Site No.154,
North by : Site No.180; **South by :** Site No.178.

Sd/- SHIVAPRAKASH K N, ADVOCATE
SRS LAW ASSOCIATES,
No.548, 7th Main, Vijayanagar,
Bangalore -560 040 ; Mobile : 9341824536 ;
Dated : 03.10.2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **M/s. Legacyline Estates Private Limited,** represented by its Director-Mr.Sandeep Yenni Narasappa, registered office at: No. 213, 2nd Floor, M.G Road, Bengaluru - 560001 intends to purchase land bearing Survey No.155/3, measuring 00-31 guntas and land bearing Survey No.155/5, measuring 00-19 guntas, both situated at Jakkanahalli Village, Kailancha Hobli-2, Ramanagara Taluk and District, which is more fully described hereunder as "Schedule Properties". The Schedule Properties jointly belongs to Mr.Venkatesh S/o. Marivenkataiah have come forward as Vendors to sell the Schedule Properties to my client.

The Vendors of my client are the absolute owner in actual physical procession and enjoyment of the Schedule Properties.

Any person/s, Bank/s, Financial Institutions etc., claiming any valid right, title and/or interest or any claim over the Schedule Properties or any portion of it under any agreement, mortgage, deed etc. or in any other manner may with documentary evidence lodge their objections/claim within 7 days from the date of this notice with the undersigned. If no valid objections are received within the stipulated time, my clients shall proceed with the purchase of the Schedule Properties on the basis that the Vendor of my client is the absolute owner of the Schedule Properties and that there are no claims of any whatsoever nature with regard to the Schedule Properties.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

ITEM No.1: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Survey No.155/3 measuring 00-31 guntas situated at Jakkanahalli Village, Kailancha Hobli-2, Ramanagara Taluk & District & bounded on

East : Land belongs to Kariyappa
West : Land belongs to B.G. Premanath
North : Land belongs to Shivalingaiah
South : Land bearing Sy.No.155/5

ITEM No.2: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Survey No.155/5 measuring 00-19 guntas situated at Jakkanahalli Village, Kailancha Hobli-2, Ramanagara Taluk & District & bounded on;

East : Land belongs to Kariyappa
West : Land belongs to B.G. Premanath
North : Land bearing Sy.No.155/3
South : Land belongs to Gadi Ramanna & Road

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S. E. RAILWAY – TENDER

e-Tender Notice No. E-DRM-Engg-ADRA-86-90-25, dated 27.09.2025. e-Tenders are invited by Divisional Railway Manager (Engg)/Adra, S.E.Railway for and on behalf of the President of India for the following works : **Sl. No. & Tender No.; Description of works; Tender value : (1) E-DRM-Engg-ADRA-86-25, Dtd. 27.09.2025;** Removal of existing seized corroded/broken rail screw, welding of slide chairs, removal of burr, fixing of guard rail etc. under Divisional Engineer (East)/Adra; ₹ 74,94,480.88. **(2) E-DRM-Engg-ADRA-87-25, Dtd. 27.09.2025;** Construction of Road under Bridge/Subway for elimination of Manned level crossings KA-29 at km 154/27-29 in between Salboni-Chandrakona Road in Adra division by box pushing method; ₹ 7,10,97,975.95. **(3) E-DRM-Engg-ADRA-88-25, Dtd. 27.09.2025;** Construction of Approach road, Shed, Drainage System and ancillary works at NHS No. BG-20 between Talgaria-Mahuda section in Adra Division; ₹ 7,58,84,175.66. **(4) E-DRM-Engg-ADRA-89-25, Dtd. 27.09.2025;** Removal of existing seized/corroded/broken rail screw, welding of slide chairs, removal of burr, fixing of guard rail etc. Divisional Engineer/North/Adra; ₹ 69,29,715.51. **(5) E-DRM-Engg-ADRA-90-25, Dtd. 27.09.2025;** Complete track renewal (Secondary) - 26.159 Tkm under the jurisdiction of Divisional Engineer (North)/ Adra; ₹ 6,49,69,298.72. The **closing date and time of e-tenders** is on 29.10.2025 at 15.00 hrs. Details of above e-tenders may please be seen at website **www.ireps.gov.in** **(PR-681)**

e-Tender Notice No. : e-Tender/2025/33, dated 29.09.2025. e-Tender is invited by Divisional Railway Manager (Engg.), S.E.Railway, Kharagpur-721301 for and on behalf of the President of India for the following works **before 15.00 hrs.** on the date mentioned against items and will be **opened at 15.30 hrs.** : **Tender No. : E-KGP-WEST-45-2025. Description of Work :** Supplying 1,90,274 cum 50mm gauge hard stone machine crushed ballast and loading the same into Railway's wagons/hoppers at Taljhari/Rajgram/ Pinargaria Depot for Kharagpur Division. **Tender Value :** ₹ 38,04,14,808.20. **Earnest Money :** ₹ 20,52,100/-. **Tender document cost:** 0.00. **Completion period of the work :** 24 Months. **Date of opening :** 22.10.2025. **Bidding start date:** From 08.10.2025 and upto 15.00 hrs. on 22.10.2025. Interested Tenderers may visit website **www.ireps.gov.in** for full details/ descriptions/specifications of the tenders and submit their bids online. In no case manual tenders for these works will be accepted. **N.B.:** Prospective bidders may regularly visit **"www.ireps.gov.in"** to participate in all tenders. **(PR-682)**

Bureau of Investment Promotion

Udyog Bhawan, Tilak Marg, Jaipur

BIP/CGM (F&A)/ Date :- 01/10/2025

Notice Inviting Bid

Bids for procurement of Gift Hampers for Bureau of Investment Promotion, Jaipur (a Government of Rajasthan undertaking) are invited from interested bidders up to 3:00 PM of 09.10.2025. Other particulars of the bid may be visited on the procurement portals: **(http://eproc.rajasthan.gov.in) and (http://sppp.raj.nic.in)** of the state.

UBN No. BIP2526GLOB00019

Raj.Samwad/C/25/11375 **Commissioner (Inv. & NRIs)**

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **MRS.S ARIFA BEGUM** AND **MR.TAPAL MAHAMMAD SALEEM @ MAHAMMAD SALEEM TAPAL,** Both Residing at No. 69/1, 1st Floor Subharaj Layout , 7th Main 15th Cross, Lakkasandra BANGALORE-560030. represents to me that the Original GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY document relating to the schedule property executed by SRI.HANUMAPPA S/O NAL ANNAIAH in favour of SMT.MOHABOOB BI, W/O Murad Sab has been lost/misplaced and in spite of our best efforts the same could not be found out. In this regard my clients has lodged a E LOST REPORT on 03-10-2025 vide acknowledgment Lost Report No. 1831989/2025 Any person/s having any objection/s, claims, share, maintenance, demand, interest, possession, authority whatsoever manner may claim their objections if any with documentary evidence **within 7 (seven) days** from the date of this public notice,

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Residential House on Property bearing Site No.42/1,erstwhile Katha No.16/1, Present BBMP Katha No.42/1/16/1, situated at PUTTENAHALLI VILLAGE,UTTARAHALLI HOBLI, BANGALORE SOUTH TALUK Ward No.187 of BBMP measuring E-W 15 Feet and N-S 40 Feet in all totally measuring 600 Sq.ft along with residential house Constructed thereon of RCC Roofing, with all civic amenities together with all rights, appurtenances, whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded on as follows: East by : Site No.42, West by : Site No.43 , North by : Road, South by : Site No.50 and 49

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PUBLIC NOTICE-TENDER CUM E-AUCTION FOR SALE OF SECURED ASSET

[See proviso to rule 8(6)]
Notice for sale of immovable assets

E-Auction Sale Notice for the sale of immovable asset(s) under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

This notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of ICICI Bank Limited will be sold on 'As is where is', 'As is what is' and 'Whatever there is' as per the brief particulars given hereunder;

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrowers/ Guarantors/ Loan Account No.	Details of the Secured asset(s) with known encumbrances, if any	Amount Outstanding	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit	Date and Time of Property Inspection	Date & Time of E-Auction
(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)
1.	Mr. B R Hitesh & Mr. B R Tarun (Legal Heirs) Mrs. H Y Pavithra W/o Late Mr. Ramesh Babu H B (Co-Borrower) Loan Account Number TBBNG00006560345/ LBBNG00006564696/ LBBNG00006541953	All That Piece And Parcel of The Property Bearing Site No. 2 & 3, BBMP Property No. 61/3, BBMP Khatha No. 82/61/3, Old Khatha No. 04, Assessment No. 03, Kaneshumari No. 4/1, Situated At Herohalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now Comes Under The Limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Herohalli Bbmp Ward No. 72, Bangalore, Measuring East To West 34 Feet, And North To South 185 Feet Totally Measuring 6290 Sq. Ft. And Including All Rights, Privileges And Appurtenances Thereto Whether Whatsoever Above or Beneath The Surface And Bounded on The: North By: Government Road South By: Government Road East By: Property of Mallaiah West By: Property of Krishnappa Known Civil Suit: Wp 477/2024 Is Pending Before Prl. Senior Civil Judge, Bengaluru Rural Court.	Rs. 2,73,11, 083.2/- (As on September 23, 2025)	Rs. 2,72,00, 000/- / Rs. 27, 20,000/-	October 06,2025 From 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	October 24, 2025 From 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM

The online auction will be conducted on the website assets.matexauctions.com of our auction agency M/s Matex Technologies Private Ltd. The Mortgagors/ Noticees are given a last chance to pay the total dues with further interest by October 23, 2025, before 04:00 P.M., else the secured asset(s) will be sold as per schedule.

The prospective bidder(s) must submit the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Demand Draft (DD) (Refer Column E) at ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068 on or before October 23, 2025 before 05:00 PM Thereafter, they have to submit their offer through the website mentioned above on or before October 23, 2025 before 05:00 PM along with the scanned image of the Bank acknowledged DD towards proof of payment of EMD. In case the prospective bidder(s) is/ are unable to submit his/ her/ their offer through the website, then the signed copy of tender documents may be submitted at ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068 on or before October 23, 2025 before 05:00 PM. Earnest Money Deposit DD/PO should be from a Nationalised/ Scheduled Bank in favour of 'ICICI Bank Limited' payable at Bangalore.

For any further clarifications in terms of inspection, Terms and Conditions of the E-Auction or submission of tenders, contact ICICI Bank Employee Phone No. 9844542086/8008999536.

The Authorised Officer reserves the right to reject any or all the bids without furnishing any further reasons.

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Nation can absorb strong shocks: FM

Says reliance on domestic demand, infra investment and policy flexibility has been a cushion

PUSHPITA DEY @ New Delhi

INDIA is in a position to absorb shocks arising due to current global trade uncertainties, geopolitical challenges and tariff situations, said Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman at the Kautilya Economic Conclave 2025 in New Delhi.

"Sanctions, tariffs, and decoupling strategies are reshaping global supply chains. Wars and strategic rivalries are redrawing boundaries of cooperation and conflict. Alliances that once appeared solid are being tested, and new coalitions are emerging. For India, these dynamics highlight both vulnerability and resilience. Our capacity to absorb shocks is strong, while our economic leverage is evolving," said Sitharaman at the event.

She acknowledged the fact that for many smaller developing nations, current geopolitical environment poses fundamental challenges. There could be several risks and opportunities that the developing economies can look into.

Sitharaman highlights the resilience of the Indian economy, calls for inclusive global cooperation. She acknowledged downside risks — from tariff escalations in developed markets to slowing demand in key export destinations — but noted that India's reliance on domestic demand, infrastructure investment and policy flexibility has been a buffer.

She called for reforms in multilateral institutions to better reflect the stakes of emerging economies — urging richer nations to provide climate finance, concessional lending and market access to developing countries. Her remarks echo India's long-standing push for a greater voice for the Global South.

She added, "If multipolarity is our future, what shape will it take? Will it be one of cooperative pluralism, where different models coexist, or will it harden into rival blocs and spheres of influence, forcing nations to pick sides? History offers no guarantees, but the possibility of a fragmented world, with multiple centres of power, and competing values appears more likely."

She cautioned trade imbalances have hollowed out industries in some nations while creating overcapacity in others. Financial imbalances have concentrated wealth in speculative sectors while depriving the real economy of investment.

SANCTIONS, TARIFFS, AND DECOUPLING STRATEGIES ARE RESHAPING GLOBAL SUPPLY CHAINS, SAYS SITHARAMAN

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'Economy well settled despite global unrest'

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

RESERVE Bank of India (RBI) Governor Sanjay Malhotra on Friday said India has emerged as an anchor of stability in a volatile world.

Despite headwinds from trade tensions, elevated debt levels, and geopolitical volatility, India has maintained its resilience, he said during his address at the Kautilya Economic Conclave 2025. "It is the combined efforts of the government's policy makers, regulators, and regulated entities. All in all, despite recent odds, the economy seems well settled into an equilibrium of resilient growth. This is quite a feat that makes India stand out as an anchor of stability in a volatile world," said RBI governor.

He asserted that despite global challenges, the country has been expanding foreign exchange reserves, and managed to have low inflation and a narrowing current account deficit as key pillars of strength.

'India is no longer seen as outsourcing destination'

PUSHPITA DEY @ New Delhi

INDIA is no more an 'outsourcing destination' for advanced countries, believes Lord Karan Bilimoria, the founding Chairman of the UK-India Business Council (UKIBC).

Also, with the India-UK free trade agreement being signed, Bilimoria asserted that India and the UK will soon be supporting each other to further develop digital infrastructure.

"India can benefit from partnering with the UK especially in the defence sector. And you see the big mindset change that is taking place now is India is no longer looked upon as an outsourcing destination," said Bilimoria during an exclusive interaction with the New Indian Express during the Kautilya Economic Conclave 2025 in New Delhi.

According to him, the India-UK FTA will help both countries work on several sectors and strengthen them. But two sectors that will surely stand out are defense and academic sectors.

He confirmed that British universities, colleges and schools are willing to set up their campuses in India. "There are immense opportunities for countries in terms of collaborating on digital trade," he said

"We can partner with India, which is also very advanced, and work together. And now the UK, for example, has announced that we want to have digital IDs. India's got the Aadhar. India's got the payment system digitalised. India has offered to partner with the UK, saying, here's our digital stack, you're welcome to work with us. So that partnership will benefit both countries, and India's actually ahead of the game."

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While talking on the implications of the US tariff on the global economy and trade, he said that the current approach of the US government will not only disrupt global trade, it will also impact the United States economy soon and the US consumers will be the worst affected.

"I don't believe that anyone is going to benefit from these high tariffs, including America, because in the long run, you're making products more expensive for your own consumers. It's the American consumer that will hurt the most from this," added Bilimoria.

The United States has increased the tariff on the UK exports from 2% to 10%, while the tariffs on several Indian products have been increased to 50%.

However, he said that the US makes up for only 13% of world trade and the rest is made up by others, including India and the UK.

Steeply falling household deposits pose challenges to banks, credit growth

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

STEEPLY falling share of household deposits in overall term deposits, altering the overall composition of banks' liabilities mix, could pose new challenges to banks and the overall credit market, a report has warned.

Between fiscals 2019-20 and 2024-25, the share of households in incremental bank deposits has dropped from 67% to 52%. What is more worrying is steep fall in share of savings deposits in overall deposits, which hit a decadal low in fiscal 2024-25 at 10% of all incremental total deposits. Typically more than 90% of bank's total borrowings are in the form of deposits.

Fall in overall household share in deposits is attributed to term deposits, where share of households has fallen from 58% to 54% in last five fiscals. In contrast, share of households in the low-cost Casa deposits has seen only a marginal drop.

On outstanding basis, the share of household deposits in bank deposits fell from 64% to 60% between fiscals 2019-20 and 2024-25, with non-financial corporations filling the gap, with a 4% rise. This shift has implications for deposit stability and costs as corporate depositors tend to be more rate sensitive and prefer shorter tenures, Crisil said in a report on Friday.

However, the report added that overall recent pick up deposits growth at the system level, along with enhanced liquidity boost by way of CRR cut and new LCR norms, are adequate to fund likely 11-12% incremental credit growth this fiscal.

The report said the structural shifts underway in the form of a fall in household contribution to term-deposits and a falling current account and savings account ratio, pose challenges to banks as these two structural shifts in deposit composition may pose challenges to deposit stability and impact funding costs over medium to long-term, mainly during periods of tight liquidity, Crisil said.

On liquidity front, the report said release of ₹2.5 lakh crore (equivalent to 1% of outstanding deposits into system) through phased-reduction of 100 bps in cash reserve ratio (CRR), along with revised liquidity coverage ratio (LCR) norms, could free up investments of ₹1.9 lakh crore.

Besides deposit growth, which determines their stability and cost, and consequently, the sustainability of bank credit growth. Notably, the ownership pattern of deposits is seeing a structural shift with a contraction in the share of household deposits.

NITI proposes presumptive tax for foreign cos

DIPAK MONDAL @ New Delhi

GOVERNMENT think-tank Niti Aayog has proposed an optional industry-specific presumptive taxation scheme for foreign companies.

The proposal is aimed at enhancing tax certainty and predictability for foreign investors, which the think-tank identifies as a critical impediment to maximising foreign direct investment (FDI) inflows.

It has warned that existing complexities and ambiguities in rules governing permanent establishment (PE) and profit attribution have led to significant tax uncertainty and compliance burdens for multinationals. It says the lack of clear, objective standards has resulted in protracted litigation, with major PE disputes often taking anywhere from 6 to 12 or more years to reach a final resolution in the courts. A PE is the business presence of a foreign company in a host country that incurs income or tax liability.

Under presumptive taxation, businesses are allowed to declare a fixed percentage of their income as taxable profit, and are thus taxed on that profit instead of calculating all the expenses and then deducting it.

India already applies presumptive taxation for some sectors. For example, foreign companies providing certain electronics manufacturing services deem 25% of gross payments as profit. For non-resident cruise ship operators, 20% of gross receipts are deemed as taxable profits. The proposal builds on existing use of presumptive tax. "Prescribing sector-specific guidance offers businesses a framework to plan their operations and tax liabilities in advance.... For foreign investors, advantages are clarity in compliance, reduction in litigation risk, lower costs of doing business, and ease of operations in India," says Vishwas Panjar, Partner, NangiaNXT

As per Niti Aayog, a presumptive tax regime would provide investors with a clear framework, allowing them to budget for Indian taxes with certainty, making India a more attractive investment destination. It further says tax officers would no longer need to perform complex audits and gather extensive evidence. Beyond presumptive taxation, the NITI Aayog has proposed a multi-pronged strategy to align the tax system with the "Viksit Bharat by 2047" vision. It calls for a robust overhaul of dispute mechanisms, specifically recommending the expansion of Advance Pricing Agreement (APA) and Mutual Agreement Procedure (MAP) programs.

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LIC acquires 2% additional stake in LTIMindtree

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Chennai

INDIA'S public-sector insurance company Life InsuranceCorporation (LIC) has raised its stake in information technology company LTIMindtreeto 9%.

The Mumbai-based IT company has informed the exchanges that LIC has bought 29.64 crore shares, or 2% of the total outstanding shares, of the informationtechnology company over an 11 months period – from 19 November 2024 and 1 October 2025.Before the transactions, LIC used to hold around 7% in thecompany. At the end of June 2025, promoter holding in the company stood at 68.6%,domestic institutional investors (DIIs) held 16.2% and FIIs held 6.6%.

LTIMindtree recorded consolidated profit after tax (PAT) of ₹1297.4 crore in Q1 FY26 on a revenue of ₹10233 crore.

JP Morgan values Reliance Retail at $143 bn, Jio Infocomm at $135 bn

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

GLOBAL banker JP Morgan has valued Reliance Jio Infocomm at $135 billion and Reliance Retail at $143 billion.

Reliance Industries chairman Mukesh Ambani at the company's recent annual general meeting (AGM) announced that the telecom arm will be listed next year. In a report, the Wall Street major said RIL's consumer businesses are set to drive nearly all of the group's earnings growth in the coming years. Reliance Retail's December revenue could be supported by recent GST cuts. A tariff increase at Jio is likely ahead of the IPO, it added.

"Reliance Retail and telecom now account for 54% of the total FY25 consolidated Ebitda (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization). In our estimates, they will account for nearly all of the net Ebitda growth over the next three years," JP Morgan analysts wrote in a September 30 report.

RIL's 83% stake in Reliance Retail is valued at ₹10.5 lakh crore or $118 billion, or ₹776 a share, based on a 34.5x blended multiple of FY27-FY28 Ebitda, the report said. JPMorgan forecasts segmental Ebitda of ₹34,400 crore in FY27, rising to ₹39,000 crore by FY28.

Noida, Navi Mumbai international airports to begin operations in Oct

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

INDIA is all set to see two new mega airports opening up this month – Noida International Airport (NIA) in Delhi NCR and Navi Mumbai International Airport in Mumbai Metropolitan Region (MMR).

While the Navi Mumbai International Airport is set to be inaugurated on October 8 by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Union Civil Aviation Minister Kinjarapu Ram Mohan Naidu recently announced that the much-delayed NIA will finally be inaugurated on October 30. The airports are being developed to meet the growing demand for air travel and to ease congestion at the two existing airports in the country's largest cities. Aviation regulator DGCA has already granted an aerodrome licence to NMIA to commence operations. NIA, located in Jewar (Uttar Pradesh) is expected to receive the important license very soon as much of the infrastructure is already complete.

Airlines have started tying up with the airports. Last month, Air India joined IndiGo and Akasa Air to launch operations from NMIA. For Noida airport, IndiGo signed an MoU in November 2023 to serve as the launch carrier. Akasa Air has also committed to building a strong network from here.

Adani Group Chairman Gautam Adani on Wednesday personally inspected the final preparations of the NMIA. In a social media post, Adani wrote, "Ahead of the inauguration of Navi Mumbai International Airport on 8 Oct, I met with our differently-abled colleagues, construction workers, women staff, engineers, artisans, fire fighters and the guards who helped bring this vision to life".

CRUDE PROCESSING RISES 3% IN AUGUST

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

INDIA processed a total of 22.3 million tonne (MT) of crude oil in August 2025, a 3% increase over the same month in August 2024, according to data from the Petroleum Planning & Analysis Cell (PPAC). The rise in crude throughput reflects an uptick in refinery operations, converting crude into petroleum products such as petrol, diesel, aviation turbine fuel (ATF), and others.

India, which holds the fourth-largest refining capacity globally — behind the United States, China, and Russia — processed 15 MMT of crude through Public Sector Undertaking (PSU) and Joint Venture (JV) refineries. Private sector refineries, including Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) and Nayara Energy, processed 7.3 MMT during the month.

Of the total crude processed, 2.2 MMT came from indigenous sources, while 20.1 MMT was imported and refined across both public and private refineries. Among public sector refineries, Indian Oil Corporation Ltd. (IOCL), operating nine refineries across India, reported the highest output in August 2025. It produced 5.8 MMT, up from 5.6 MMT in August 2024. Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd. (HPCL) processed 3.2 MMT in August 2025, marginally up from 3.1 MMT in August 2024.

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SERVICES SECTOR EXPANDS IN SEPTEMBER

Japan's services sector continued to expand at a solid pace in September, with the S&P Global Japan Services Business Activity Index rising to 53.3 from 53.1 in August, as per the data released on Friday. The latest reading marked the second-strongest growth rate since February and extended the current expansion streak to six months. The Finance & Insurance category emerged as the top performer, with all industries except Real Estate & Business Services recording improved business activity. New business continued to expand at a solid pace, unchanged from August, as companies reported successful business development efforts and new client acquisitions boosting sales. However, foreign demand for Japanese services declined further. The sustained growth in activity and sales encouraged service providers to increase their workforce numbers in September.

THAILAND

FACTORY OUTPUT DECLINES IN AUGUST

Thailand's Industry Ministry has reported that the country's factory output contracted in August and was weaker than forecast, as slowing exports, falling tourist numbers and a strong baht weighed on the economy. As per the ministry, Thailand's August manufacturing production index fell 4.19% from a year earlier. Negative factors included a weaker car industry and a fall in industrial sentiment, it said. Thai exports grew 5.8% in August from a year ago, slowest pace in a year due to stronger baht and impact of US tariffs, as per the ministry. The ministry aims to conclude a tariff agreement with the US by the year-end, minister Suphajee Suthumpun told parliament on September 29. The ministry will seek to expand trade in markets like Japan, Singapore, South Asia and the Middle East, and accelerate FTA negotiations with the EU and Korea, Suphajee said.

SOUTH KOREA

SEPT INFLATION AT 2.1%, SLIGHTLY ABOVE FORECAST

South Korea's consumer prices rose in September at a slightly faster pace than market expectations, after a one-off drag in August, government data showed on Thursday. The consumer price index rose 2.1% in September from a year earlier, after rising by a nine-month low of 1.7% in August. The index rose 0.5% on a monthly basis, also slightly faster than a 0.4% rise expected by economists. In the previous month, it fell 0.1% on a one-month price discount offered by a major mobile carrier. Prices of processed foods surged 4.2%, adding 0.36 percentage points to the overall inflation rate. Bread prices increased 6.5%and coffee surged 15.6%. Livestock products increased 5.4%, while fishery products were up 6.4%. The living cost index, which reflects consumer sentiment more directly, accelerated to a 2.5% increase from 1.5% in August. Core inflation, which excludes volatile food and energy prices, rose 2%.

Indian Overseas Bank

Banashankari Branch, No.26, 27th cross, Near Monotype Bus stop, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560070. Mail id:iob1298@iob.in

DEMAND NOTICE

Demand notice to Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors Under Sub-section(2) of section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002

To, <u>Borrower:</u> **Mrs. Y.N.Sumana Gajalakshmi, W/o. K.Venkataswamy,** No.86, 15th cross, Swamy Residency, 15th Main, 2nd Phase, J.P.Nagar, Bangalore-560078. Ph: 9448493796. **Guarantor: Mr. K.Venkataswamy,** No.86, 15th Cross, Swamy Residency, 15th Main, 2nd Phase, J.P.Nagar, Bangalore-560078. Ph: 9448493796. **Demand Notice Dated: 30-09-2025**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re.: Your Credit facilities with Indian Overseas Bank, Banashankari Branch.

You, the above named Borrower of our bank have availed the following credit facilities from our - **Banashankari Branch.**

The details of credit facilities with outstanding dues are as under:

S. No.	Nature of Facility	Limit (in Rs.)	Rates of Interest (including over due interest) & rests	Total Dues as on 30-09-2025 (in Rs.)
1.	Agriculture Term Loan 129803160600002	Rs.45,54,000/-	12%	Rs.75,14,725.50
	Total			**Rs.75,14,725.50**

With further interest at contractual rates/rests will become payable from the date mentioned above till date of payment. The credit facilities were secured by the assets mentioned below by way of mortgage standing in the name of borrower. You have acknowledged from time to time the liabilities mentioned herein above through various documents executed by you.

2. The details of securities in favor of the Bank for the aforesaid credit facilities are:

Nature of security (Hypothecation / Mortgage etc.): Equitable Mortgage

Particulars of securities (Full description with location, four boundaries, measurement on four sides total extent and name of owner to be given): Location: 1. Residual value of the House property at No.86, and 26/B, Sarakki Agrahara, Begur Hobli, Banaglore.

3. Consequent upon defaults committed by the above named borrower in payment of the principal debt / interest as per agreed terms, loan account mentioned above have been classified as Non-Performing Asset on 29.09.2025 (date of classification as NPA) as per Reserve Bank of India guidelines and directives. Despite our reminders for regularization of your account, you have not repaid the overdue loans including interest thereon.

4. Since you the above named borrowers referred under Sl. Nos. 1 have failed to meet the liabilities in respect of the credit facilities duly secured by various securities mentioned above and upon classification of your account as a Non-Performing Asset, we hereby recall our advances to you and give you notice under sub-section (2) of section 13 of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and call upon you to pay in full and discharge your liabilities to the bank aggregating to **Rs.75,14,725.50/-(Rupees Seventy Five Lakh Fourteen Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty Five and Fifty Paise only)** as detailed in para 1 above, with further interest @ 12.55% with Half-yearly rests as agreed from the date mentioned above, within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice.

5. Since the borrowers have committed defaults in repayment, the mortgagors/guarantors have become liable to pay to us in terms of the guarantee, the amounts due to the Bank as per the loan / credit facilities aggregating to **Rs.75,14,725.50/-(Rupees Seventy Five Lakh Fourteen Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty Five and Fifty Paise only)** together with further interest @ 12.55% compounded with monthly and Half Yearly rests as agreed and we hereby call upon you to pay the said amount within sixty days from the date of receipt of this notice.

6. Please note that interest will continue to accrue at the rates and rests as agreed for each credit facility until full repayment.

7. Your attention is also invited to sub-section (13) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you are restrained from transferring/alienating/shifting any of the secured assets referred to above by way of sale, lease or otherwise, without obtaining our prior written consent. Please also note that non-compliance / contravention of the provisions contained in the said Act or Rules made there under, is an offence which is punishable with imprisonment and/or fine as provided under section 29 of the Act.

8. We also put all of you on notice that if the account is not regularized/ repaid within the stipulated time and in case of the Bank classifying you as a willful defaulter as per RBI Guidelines, the Bank reserves its rights to publish your photograph in newspaper(s) with your name, address, details of default, dues etc., in accordance with RBI Guidelines besides initiating all recourses available to the Bank for recovery

9. We also advise you that this demand notice is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which we have for recovery of the above said dues as well as our right to make further demands in respect of sums due and payable by you.

10. Further, your attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of the Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to you, to redeem the secured assets.

Date: 30-09-2025, Place: Banashankari 2nd Stage Sd/- Authorised Officer, Indian Overseas Bank

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Gottigere Branch

No:48/49, Patel Ramakrishnappa Building, Jambusavaridinne Road. Gottigere, Bangalore-560068, Phone No:080-25780028
Email :UBIN0829277@UNIONBANKOFINDIA.BANK

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule - 8 (1)] (For immovable Property)

Whereas:The undersigned being the authorized Officer of the **Union Bank of India,Gottigere Branch**(29271) under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(2) read with **Rule 3** of the security Interest(Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **15.07.2025** calling upon the **Borrowers:Mr.C Prasad and Mrs. C. Anusha** to Repay the amount mentioned in the notice of Rs.**89,79,935.41/- (Rupees Eighty Nine Lakhs Seventy Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty five and Forty one paisa only)** as on **14.07.2025** plus interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is here by given to the Borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement) Rules 2002 on this **29th Day of September 2025**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Union Bank of India,Gottigere Branch (29271)** for an amount **89,24,451.39/- (Rupees Eighty Nine Lakhs Twenty Four Thousand Four Hundred Fifty One and Thirty Nine paisa only)** as on **29.09.2025** plus interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Secured Assets

All that Piece and parcel of the residential Property located at Site No.8, Khatha No. 21/3, situated at Konanakunte Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, now comes under the limits of BBMP, Bangalore measuring East to West:30 sq ft, and North to South:40 sq ft, in all measuring 1200 sq ft and bounded East by: Road, West by:Property belongs to Hanumantha Rao, North by: Property belongs to Munikrishna, South by: Property belongs to Satyanarayana Raj

Date : 29.09.2025
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919

TENDER NOTIFICATION

Tenders are invited through **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** for supply of the following materials:

SHARAVATHY HYDRO ELECTRIC PROJECT

(1) KPCL/2025-26/IND1959/CALL-2, Dt: 23.09.2025. Mattresses, Sleeping Pillows, Pillow Cases, Single and Double Bed Sheets required for Guest House of Gerusoppa Power House. EMD: **Rs. 3,761/-. (2)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1856/CALL-3, dt: 23.09.2025. Supply of 08 nos. various types/sizes of nozzle and deflector servo cylinders and 14 nos. various types/sizes of seal kit for nozzle and deflector servo cylinders for MGHE Power House, SVP. EMD: **Rs. 24,741/-. (3)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1859/CALL-2, dt: 23.09.2025. 01 no. of Generator Bearing Oil Cooler each for 1st Stage and IInd Stage for MGHE Power House, SVP. EMD: **Rs. 9,875/-. (4)** KPCL/2025-26/IND2058, dt: 23.09.2025. 1 no. of 37kW VF Drive required for Linganamakki Power House, SVP. EMD: **Rs. 4,661/-. (5)** KPCL/2025-26/IND2059, dt: 24.09.2025. 810 nos. of various types of Carbon brushes & 20 nos. of Carbon brush spring holder set required for SVP/Power Hosue. EMD: **Rs. 14,075/-. (6)** KPCL/2025-26/GH/WORK_INDENT3243/CALL-3, dt: 24.09.2025. Operation & Routine Maintenance of various hydro-mechanical equipments of SVP, VHP, Badra Dam and appurent works. EMD: **Rs. 1,15,982/-.** Last date & time for receipt of tenders for Sl.No. 1 to 5: **10.10.2025 up to 16.30 Hrs** & for Sl.No. (6): **06.10.2025 at 16.00 Hrs.** Further information for Sl.No. (1) to (5) can be had from **Executive Engineer(MSP)J,** KPCL, Jogfalls-577435, Sagar Tq., Shivamogga Dist. M: 9449598847, e-mail: eemspj@ gmail.com and for Sl.No. (6) **Executive Engineer (Gates)Sharavathy,** KPCL, Kargal-577421, Sagar Tq., Shivamogga Dist. M: 9148346914/9480830315, e-mail: eegatessharavathy@gmail.com

VARAHI HYDRO ELECTRIC PROJECT

(1) KPCL/2025-26/PS/WORK_INDENT3519, dtd: 24.09.2025.Supply and installation of split ACs at VUGPH and ODY Control Room amounting to approximately **Rs. 05.53 lakh (Exclusive of GST).** EMD: **Rs. 13,809/-.** Last date for submission of tender: **09.10.2025 up to 16.30 Hrs.** Further information can be had from **Executive Engineer(Turbine)Varahi,** KPCL, VHP, Hosangadi-576282, Kundapura (T), Udupi (D), and M: 9141621259.

GERUSOPPA HYDRO ELECTRIC PROJECT

(1) KPCL/2024-25/PS/WORK_INDENT2423/CALL-5, Date: 26.09.2025. Supply, Replacement, Retrofitting, Testing and Commissioning of 02 (two) sets of base mount, air-cooled, oil splash lubricated 40 kg/cm^2 high pressure reciprocating air compressors with motor, control panel in complete at Gerusoppa Power House. EMD: **Rs. 21,187/-.** Last date for submission of tender: **10.10.2025 up to 16.00 Hrs.** Further information can be had from **Executive Engineer (O&M) GP,** KPCL, Gerusoppa-581384, Honnavara Tq., Uttara Kannada Dist., M:9449598827, 9141610217, e-mail: eee1gp.kpcl@gmail.com, eemmgpkpcl@karnataka.gov.in

BHADRA GENERATING STATION

(1) KPCL/2025-26/PS/WORK_INDENT3398, Dt: 24.09.2025. Replacement of fire hydrant line along with fire hydrant valves located at Left Bank Power House & Right Bank Power House at Bhadra Generating Station. EMD: **Rs. 50.000/-.** Last date for submission of tender: **08.10.2025 up to 16.30 Hrs.** Further information can be had from **Executive Engineer (O&M)Bhadra,** KPCL, B.R. Projects-577115, Bhadravathi Tq., Shivamogga Dist.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Sachin N, S/o Nagaraju, aged about 21 years, residing at No.33, 9th Cross, Chowdeshwari Nagar, Laggere, Bengaluru 560058, I was employed as Collection Agent with HDFC Bank Ltd., and was issued an Employee ID Card bearing No. 250364762900010. During ganesha festival, On 13-09-2025 at about 3:30 PM. I lost my original HDFC Bank Ltd., Employee ID Card bearing No. 250364762900010 at 50 Feet Road, Laggere, Bengaluru. I waited till 18-09-2025 and expecting calls regarding ID card. Since i didn't received any calls In this regard lodged a complaint with the Bengaluru City Police Unit on 18-09-2025, and the same has been registered under Complaint No. 1808185/2025. If anybody found my ID card please contact at above mentioned address or call to Mobile No. 9632965604.

PUBLIC NOTICE

MY CLIENT INTENDS TO PURCHASE THE SCHEDULE PROPERTY FROM ITS OWNER MR. G. MAHABOOB BASHA, S/O. SRI. GUNDLAPALLI VALI SAB, AGED ABOUT 48 YEARS, R/AT.NO.13, 2ND FLOOR, 19TH MAIN NARAYANA GOWDA LAYOUT NEAR PAI MOBILE SHOP MARUTHI NAGAR ROAD BANGALORE-560029. AADHAAR NO.671987869750.

Any person/s or any organization or Financial Institute Asserting any rights, title, claim or charge in the schedule property ,having any claims against the property/or its owner/s to such sale in favour of my client should write to the undersigned **within 7 Days** from issuing of this public Notice. With all documentary proof/s on which they are their rights over the schedule property or any part thereof after which period my client shall proceed on the basis that there is no claims of whatsoever nature with regards to the schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF PROPERTY NORTHERN PORTION OF SITE NO.11.IN SY NO.105/1. NEW MUNICIPAL KATHA NO.011/1. PID NO.64-155-011/1. BBMP E-AASTHI PID NO.9972758809.SITUATED AT, OLD TAVARAKARE VILLAGE BEGUR HOBLI BANGALORE SOUTH TALUK. AT PRESENT NEW GURAPANAPALYA TAVARAKARE BBMP OLD WARD NO.64.NEW WARD NO.171. BANGALORE. MEASURING EAST TO WEST 45 FEET, NORTH TO SOUTH 15 FEET, TOTALLY MEASURING 675 SQ. FEET, BOUNDED ON: **EAST BY:** PROPERTY BELONGS TO ANWAR ALI, **WEST BY:** 20 FEET ROAD, **NORTH BY:** PORTION OF PROPERTY NO.105/1, **SOUTH BY:** REMAINING SOUTHERN PORTION OF PROPERTY/SITE NO.11.

S. RASHEED SAHEB, ADVOCATE
NO.42.6TH B CROSS BALAJINAGARA, DRC POST BANGALORE-29.
(M) 09448569509, 9740893190.
mail ID; rasheed.sab12@gmail.com
DATED. 03.10.2025

DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I, B.S.N.L. BUILDING, 4TH FLOOR, TELEPHONE HOUSE, RAJBHAVAN ROAD, BENGALURU- 560001
O.A. NO. 1082/2022

BETWEEN
ICICI BANK LIMITED, Having its Office at, The Senate IBC, Ulsoor Road, Yellappa Garden, Yellappa Chetty Layout, Sivachetti Gardens, Bengaluru- 560008. ...APPLICANT
And
1. Mr. Jagadish Babu Kasa S/o Sreeramulu Kasa, Aged About 36 Years, Door No. 37, 1st Floor, 2nd Main Road, J.P. Nagar 8th Phase, Near Ganesh Temple, Bangalore-560076.
Also At- Mr. Jagadish Babu Kasa, Door No. 3/582, Putlur Tadpatri, Near Government School Andra Pradesh- 515411 ...DEFENDANT

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application Under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against you for Recovery of a sum of Rs. 25,72,791.49/- (Rupees Twenty-Five Lakhs, Seventy-Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety-One and Paisa Forty-One Only) together with current and future interest and other relief's. The above Defendant is therefore, hereby directed to before the Tribunal in person or through an advocate or through authorized agents in support of their defence to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication or on 28/04/2026 at 10.30 A.M., as to why relief's prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 26.09.2025.

Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal
Bangalore

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby informed that my client **Sri. HITESH PANWAR,** S/o. Ram Chandra, Aged about 32 Years, Permanent R/at Naiyo Ki Hathai, Ward No.11, Sojat, Pali, Rajasthan-306104, **AADHAR No.9785 0532 3747, PAN NO.BWYPP6793A,** Presently C/o. Shop No.10, Mahalakshmi Fashion Ground Floor, Vidhyamaner Building, K. Narayanapura, Bengaluru -560 077, informs that, my client is intending to purchase the **Site No.5, New EPID Khatha No.6775380246,** Property No.93/5, Old BBMP Khatha No.93/5, measuring **East to West : 40 Feet or 12.19 Meter and North to South : 30 Feet or 9.14 Meter, totally 1200 square Feet or 111.4836 Square Meter,** Situated at Narasipura Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, presently comes under the Limits of Bruhath Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike Ward No.9, Vidyaranyaura and bounded on: **East by : Vacant Land, West by : Road, North by : Site/Property No.3 & 4, South by : Site/Property No.6,** for valuable sale consideration from **1. Sri. Sridhar @ Sreedhara Krishnappa,** S/o. Krishnappa, Aged about 55 years, **AADHAR No.8185 7304 7582, PAN No.DQBPK9370K, (2) Smt. Leelavathi,** W/o. Sridhar @ Sreedhara Krishnappa, Aged about 49 years, **3) Sri. Tejas S.** S/o. Sridhar @ Sreedhara Krishnappa, Aged about 25 years, AADHAR No.9997 1559 0132, **(4) Sri. Shreyas S.** S/o. Sridhar @ Sreedhara Krishnappa, Aged about 20 years, **AADHAR No.5889 7587 3272,** All are R/at No.603, Mutton Stall Road, 4th Division, Attibele Post, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District-562 107, and **Sridhar @ Sreedhara Krishnappa** has acquired the Schedule Property through Registered Sale Deed from its previous owner Sri. B. Arun Kumar S/o. Sri. Basavaraju and his family members vide Sale Deed Dated : 12-12-2014, bearing Document No.KCH-1-04573/2014-15 of Book-I, Stored in C.D. No.KCHD 184, Registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Gandhinagar (Kacharakanahalli), Bengaluru, after acquiring the Schedule Property he got transferred the khatha in his favour and other documents and he has paid up to date taxes to the concerned authority, the Vendors No.2 to 4 are the wife and children of 1st Vendor and they have been continued in peaceful, lawful, physical possession and enjoyment of the same as absolute owners thereof (originally the above said Sri. B. Arun Kumar S/o. Sri. Basavaraju having acquired the Schedule Property from Government through Ashraya Yojane Niveshana Hakkupathra Sl. No.4243, vide No.HUD 535 KHB 91, Dated: 26.01.1992 issued by the Thasildhar Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru) and they have sold the Schedule Property in favour of my client sand my client intending to purchase the same for valuable sale consideration.

The general public are hereby informed that any person/s having any manner of claim, interest or objection for the purchase of the above property by my client referred above, they may submit their objections if any along with supporting documents to the undersigned within 7 days from the date of this public notice, failing which it will be presumed that there are no objections and my client will be proceeding further to complete the sale transactions with **Sridhar @ Sreedhara Krishnappa** and his family members, Please note that any claims / objections / right over the above said property received after 7 days from the date of this publication, will not be taken into consideration for any reason/s.

V. MUNIRAJU, Advocate
No.4, Nikshaa Nilaya, 5th Cross, Sri. Balaji Krupa Layout, Dr. Shivaramakaranthanagara post, R.K. Hegdenagara, Bengaluru-560 077. Mob No.9448212412/9343418623
HITESH PANWAR
Mob. No.7348922950 /8904713472

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that our client **Smt. R. Supriya,** D/o. Late B G Ranganath, W/o. Aditya N C, C/o. NCVS Mukundan, Flat No. 703, Vencer Palentine, No. 11, Arcot Road, Porur, Chennai-600116 has revoked the General Power of Attorney dated 08.02.2023, registered in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Jayanagar(JP Nagar), Bengaluru as Document No. JPN-4-00722-2022-23, stored in CD No. JPND1578, which was executed by her in favour of her brother Dr. Sudheer R, S/o. Late B G Ranganath, No. 1988/35, South End D Cross, 28th main road, Jayanagar 9th Block, Bengaluru-560069 with respect to Schedule Property through her legal notice dated 22.09.2025.

In the circumstances, under the instructions of our client, we call upon the general public not to negotiate, deal or enter into any transactions, agreements /arrangements either with Dr. Sudheer R and/or any other person/s claiming under or through him vis-à-vis the Schedule Property and/or any portion thereof. Despite of this notice, if any individual/s, person/s both natural and juristic, banks, financial and other institutions, transacts with the said Dr. Sudheer R, or any other person with respect to the Schedule Property and/or any portion thereof, and/or enters into any agreement/arrangement or understanding either encumbering / purchasing or creating any rights over the Schedule Property and or any portion thereof, they shall do so at their cost and risk and the same shall not bind our client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

1. All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Sy. No. 123 measuring 0-37 Guntas, situated at Thataguppe Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on: East by Property bearing Sy. No. 127/1, West by Thore, North by Property bearing Sy No. 124, South by Property bearing Sy No. 122.
2. All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Sy. No. 126/1 measuring 1-09 Guntas, situated at Thataguppe Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on: East by Property bearing Sy. No. 133, West by Property bearing Sy. No. 125, North by Property bearing Sy Nos. 11/2 and 11/3, South by Property bearing Sy No. 126/2.
3. All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Sy. No. 126/2 measuring 2 Acres 14 Guntas, situated at Thataguppe Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on: East by Property bearing Sy. No. 132 and 133, West by Property bearing Sy. No. 125, North by Property bearing Sy No. 126/1, South by Property bearing Sy No. 126/3.
4. All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Sy. No. 126/3 measuring 1 Acre 13 Guntas, situated at Thataguppe Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on: East by Property bearing Sy. No. 132 and 133, West by Property bearing Sy. No. 125, North by Property bearing Sy No. 126/2, South by Property bearing Sy No. 127.
5. All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Sy. No. 127/1 measuring 2 Acre 02 Guntas, situated at Thataguppe Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on: East by Property bearing Sy. No. 127/2, West by Property bearing Sy. No. 123, North by Property bearing Sy No. 125, South by Property bearing Sy No. 127/1.
6. All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Sy. No. 127/2A measuring 2 Acre 04 Guntas, situated at Thataguppe Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on: East by Property bearing Sy. No. 131, West by Property bearing Sy. No. 127/1, North by Property bearing Sy No. 127/1, South by Property bearing Sy No. 127/2.
7. All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Sy. No. 127/3 measuring 0-14 Guntas, situated at Thataguppe Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on: East by Property bearing Sy. No. 132, West by Property bearing Sy. No. 127/2, North by Property bearing Sy No. 126, South by Property bearing Sy No. 126/1.
8. All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Sy. No. 11/2 measuring 1 Acre 29 Guntas, situated at Alaka Bilalu Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on: East by Property bearing Sy. No. 11/3, West by Property bearing Sy. No. 12, North by Property bearing Sy No. 12, South by Property bearing Sy No. 126/1.
9. All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Sy. No. 11/3 measuring 1 Acre 31 Guntas, situated at Alaka Bilalu Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on: East by Property bearing Sy. Nos. 9 and 10, West by Property bearing Sy. No. 11/2, North by Property bearing Sy No. 21, South by Property bearing Sy No. 126/1.

Sd/- **SUJAYEENDRA .S,** Advocate
M/s. SIDDHANTA LEGAL,
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Bengaluru-560001. Mobile: 8867744248, Date: 23.09.2025
e-mail: sujayeendra@siddhantalegal.com

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DEMAND NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13[2] OF THE SECURITISATION & RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002

You, the under mentioned Borrower / Mortgagor is hereby informed that the company has initiated proceedings against you under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and that the Notice under 13 (2) of the Act sent to you by Registered Post Ack. Due for Borrower/s has been returned undelivered. Hence, you are hereby called upon to take notice and pay the outstanding loan amount mentioned against the said account with interest accruing there from within 60 days from the date of this publication, failing which the company will proceed against you by exercising its right under Sub-Sec (4) of Section 13 of the Act by enforcing the below mentioned security to realize its dues with interests and costs. It is needles to mention that this notice is addressed to you without prejudice to any other remedy available to the company.

Sl. No.	Loan Account No. & Name and Address of the Borrower/s	Loan Amount(s)	Date of Demand Notice & Total Amount Outstanding
1.	<u>Loan Account No's: HE01BAN00000032476:-</u> **1) Devaraju D (Applicant),** No.49, 4th Main, Bagalur Cross, Vinayaka Nagar, Yelahanka A F Station, Bangalore, Karnataka-560063, **2) Sri Manjunatha Building Material Suppliers (Co-Applicant),** No.49, 4th Main, Bagalur Cross, Vinayaka Nagar, Yelahanka A F Station, Bangalore, Karnataka-560063, **3) Devaraj Rakesh (Co-Applicant),** No.49, 4th Main, Bagalur Cross, Vinayaka Nagar, Yelahanka A F Station, Bangalore, Karnataka-560063, **4) Devaraj Rekha (Co-Applicant),** No.49, 4th Main, Bagalur Cross, Vinayaka Nagar, Yelahanka A F Station, Bangalore, Karnataka-560063.	Rs. 30,00,000/-	**24/09/2025 & Rs.29,62,650/-** as on 24/09/2025 together with interest thereafter.
	<u>Schedule of Property/s:</u> All that piece and parcel of Property Site No.23, Khatha No.104/846/694/2/946/2A, Situated at Kadiganahalli village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanaka Taluk, Bangalore city District now presently within the limits of Hunasamaranahalli CMC and bounded on the: **East by:** Alagiri House, **West by:** Raju House, **North by:** Remaining portion of Same Survey Number, **South by:** Hutanahalli Main Road, Measuring East to West 20 feet and North to South 36 feet in all measuring 720 Square feet and along with building constructed thereon. Within the registration District of Bangalore and Sub Registration office.		
2.	<u>Loan Account No's: HE01BAN00000047335:-</u> **1) Basavalinge Gowda Saritha (Applicant),** No.45, 1st Cross, Vasanthapura Main Road, Near Desai Garden, Konanakunte, Bangalore-560062. **2) Aishwarya Chicken And Egg Center (Co-Applicant),** No.52, Aishwarya Chicken And Egg Center, Konankunte Cross, Vasanthapura Main Road, Near Desai Garden, Bangalore, Karnataka-560062. **3) Ramesh Venkataramana Thothalli (Co-Applicant),** No.52, Aishwarya Chicken And Egg Center Konankunte Cross, Vasanthapura Main Road, Bangalore, Karnataka-560062. <u>**Also At:**</u> No.45, 1st Cross, Vasanthapura Main Road, Konanakunte, Bangalore, Karnataka-560062, **4) Aishwarya Egg Center (Co-Applicant),** No.52, Aishwarya Chicken And Egg Center, Konankunte Cross, Vasanthapura Main Road, Near Desai Garden, Bangalore, Karnataka-560062.	Rs.5000000	**24-09-2025 & Rs. 51,73,568/-** as on 24/09/2025 together with interest thereafter.
	<u>Schedule of Property/s:</u> All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.34, BBMP SL No.156, Khatha No.155/4A, Situated at Kothanur Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently within the limits of BBMP and bounded on: **East by:** Property No.35, **West by:** Property No.33, **North by:** 25 feet Road, **South by:** Property No.31, Measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 40 feet, in all measuring 1200 Square feet and along with constructed building thereon. Within the Registration District of Bangalore and Sub Registration Office		

Date: 04-10-2025
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Cholamandalam Investment And Finance Company Limited.

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POSSESSION NOTICE Appendix IV (Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Property)

Account No: TL-41152924570, CC-41444075986, Adhoc-42408354592

Whereas The undersigned being the Authorized officer of the **State Bank of India** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (54 OF 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **20.06.2025** and same was published in Two leading Newspaper "The New Indian Express and Samyuktha Karnataka" on **08.07.2025** and calling upon **Borrower/s : M/s. Adroit Packaging Industries,** Sy. No. 8/27, Gaviyanapalya Village, Kumbalgodu, Bangaloe-560074. **Represented by Its Partners : 1) Sri. Srinivasa V** S/o. Sri.Venkateshappa Sy. No. 8/27, Gaviyanapalya Village, Kumbalgodu, Bangalore-560074. **And also at :** No. 55, Rajamma Garden, Rajivgandhi Road, Jaraganahalli, J P Nagar, Bangalore-560078. **2) Sri. Ananda S S/o. Sri. Shivalingasetty,** Sy. No. 8/27, Gaviyanapalya Village, Kumbalgodu, Bangaloe-560074. **And also at :** No. 829, 14th Main Road, 3rd Cross, Vidyashankari School, Bank Colony, Bangalore-560050. **3) Sri. Lokesh B S** S/o. Late Siddalinga Shetty Sy. No. 8/27, Gaviyanapalya Village, Kumbalgodu, Bangaloe-560074 **And also at :** No. 2706, Ashoka Road West, 23rd Cross, Lashkar Mohalla, Mysore-570001 **4) Sri. Ashoka D N** S/o. Sri. Nagaraju Sy. No. 8/27, Gaviyanapalya Village, Kumbalgodu, Bangaloe-560074. **And also at :** No. 25, Devara Guddana Koppalu Village, Gamanahalli Post, Arakere-571415. **5) Sri. Karthick Sekar** S/o. Sri. Natarajan Sekar Sy. No. 8/27, Gaviyanapalya Village, Kumbalgodu, Bangaloe-560074. **And also at :** No. 18, Somasundar Nagar, 1st Street, M K Kottal, Mellakarkalkandarkotta, Tamil Nadu-620011. And **Guarantors : 1) Sri. Srinivasa V** S/o. Sri. Venkateshappa No. 55, Rajamma Garden, Rajivgandhi Road, Jaraganahalli, J P Nagar, Bangalore-560078. **2) Sri. Ananda .S** S/o. Sri. Shivalingasetty No. 829, 14th Main Road, 3rd Cross, Vidyashankari School, Bank Colony, Bangalore-560050. **3) Sri. Lokesh B S,** S/o. Late Siddalinga Shetty No. 2706, Ashoka Road West, 23rd Cross, Lashkar Mohalla, Mysore-570001. **4) Sri. Ashoka D N,** S/o. Sri.Nagaraju No. 25, Devara Guddana Koppalu Village, Gamanahalli Post, Arakere-571415. **5) Sri. Karthick Sekar** S/o. Sri. Natarajan Sekar, No. 18, Somasundar Nagar, 1st Street, M K Kottal, Mellakarkalkandarkotta, Tamil Nadu-620011. **6) Sri. S. Siddaraju** S/o. Late Siddalinga Shetty No. 2706, Ashoka Road West, 23rd Cross, Lashkar Mohalla, Mysore-570001. **7) Smt. Lakshmi Narasamma** W/o. Sri. Somashekar, No. 4, 4th Cross, Mantappa Road, Mallasandra, T Dasarahalli, Bangalore-560057 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice **Rs. 2,28,88,353/-** (Rupees Two Crores Twenty Eight Lakhs Eighty Eight Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty Three only) as on 15.06.2025 + interest from 16.06.2025 + incidental charges within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower(s)/mortgager(s)/guarantor(s) having failed to repay the amount demanded as per Demand Notice, notice is hereby given to the borrower(s)/ mortgager(s)/guarantor(s) and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on **03.10.2025.**

The borrower(s)/mortgager(s)/guarantor(s) in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **State Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs. 2,37,22,380/-** (Rupees Two crores thirty seven lakhs twenty two thousand three hundred and eighty only) as on 14.09.2025 and interest from 15.09.2025 plus expenses thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Section 13(8) of the Act, in respect of the time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Property No. 1 : All that piece and parcel of residentially Land & Building bearing servey/site Number 4, Khatha No.275, Assessment No.38/3, Malasandra Village, Yeshawanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North, Bangalore measuring East to West: 30 Feet, North to South: 40 Feet in total 1200 Sq.Ft., with building thereon held in the name of **"Smt. Lakshmi Narasamma W/o. Sri. H. Somashekar"** and **bounded on : East by :** Road, **West by :** Site No. 3, **North by :** Road, **South by :** Others Property.

Sale Deed dated 29.09.2003 is registered in favour of "Smt. Lakshmi Narasamma W/o Sri. H. Somashekar" in the office of SRO Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore in Book No.1 under Document No. 22670/2003-04 dated 29.09.2003

Property No. 2 : All that piece and parcel of the Vacant site No.8/1, measuring East to West 23.77 Mtrs (78ft) and North to South 27.432 Mtrs (90ft),in all 652.18 Sq.Mtrs (7020 Sq.Ft.,), bearing Khatha No.152800600600521336 formed in Residential Layout Known as Orchid Paradise Phase-1, Sy.No.160/1 along with various Sy.Nos sitatued in Malamachanahalli Village, Jangamakote Hobli, Shidlghatta Taluk, Chikkaballapura District, converted from agricultural to non-agricultural purpose by order of Deputy Commissioner Chikkaballapura District, vide No.ALNSR 19/2010-11 dated 11.07.2010 and layout plan approved by DTCP (Bangalore Division) approval No.852/2010-11 dated 11.03.2011 and the property is held in the name of **"Sri. S. Siddaraju S/o. Late Siddalinga Shetty"** and **bounded on : East by :** Road, **West by :** Site No.2 & 6, **North by :** Road, **South by :** Sy. No. 160/2.

Sale Deed dated 30.09.2020 is registered in favour of "Sri. S. Siddaraju S/o. Late Siddalinga Shetty" in the office of at Senior SRO Shidlaghatta in Book No.1 under Document No. Document No.SDG-1-02369/2020-21 and Stored in C.D No. SDGD571 dated 30.09.2020.

Date : 03.10.2025
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer and Chief Manager
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PUBLIC E-AUCTION
NOTICE OF SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES ON 24.10.2025

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) / Rule 9 (1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Constructive Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer (details mentioned below), will be sold on **"As is where is"and "As is what is" basis on 24.10.2025** at the below mentioned timings for recovery of dues with further interest and cost thereon due to the **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

<u>**The details are as under:**</u> Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **23.10.2025 at 4.00 pm** through online payment to the Account No. details of which are given below or by way of DD favouring **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/ Co-Obligants and Loan Account No.	Balance O/S Rs. Future Interest From + Costs	Possession Date Possession Type	Description of the Property/ies	Reserve Price (Rs.)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Rs.	Auction Time	Increment al Value of the Bid	Branch Name & Account Details for Remitting EMD/ IFSC Code
1	**(1) M/s Tanisha Minerals Pvt.Ltd, Represented by its Directors, i) Mr. Nagaraju Gubba , ii) Mrs. Venkataramani Gubba ,Addressed at :** No.53, 3rd Floor, Empire Tower, Railway Parallel Road, K.P West, Bangalore-560020 **(2) Mr. Nagaraju Gubba,** S/o Late Krishnaiah Gubba, **(3) Mrs. Venataramani Gubba,** W/o Mr. Nagaraju Gubba, <u>**No 2 & 3 Addressed at :**</u> No.1014, Ramya Sadana, Flat No.24/1,11th Main, Hampinagar,Vijayanagar, Bangalore-560040 **(4) Mr. Lakshminarayana Gubba**, S/o Late Krishnaiah Gubba, **(5) Mrs. Asha G L,** W/o Mr. Lakshminarayana Gubba , <u>**No 4 & 5 Addressed at :**</u> No.222,Matha Nilaya, 5th Main Road, Near Sri Vidyanagar Bus Stop, BSK 3rd Stage , Bangalore-560085, **(6) Mr. Narayana Babu B S,** S/o Mr. Subbarayan B, <u>**Addressed at :**</u> No.14, Vanasuma, Lake City Layout, Behind Janapriya , Kodichikkanahalli, Bangalore-560040. **(7) Mrs. Mala B.S,** W/o Mr. Puttaraju B.S, **(8) Mr.Puttaraju B.S,** S/o Shivanna B.C <u>**No.7 & 8 Addressed at :**</u> No.13, 60 Feet Road, Amarjyothinagar, Prashanthanagar Main Road ,Vijayanagar, Bangalore-560040. **Loan A/c Nos.:** **(1) OD A/c 0637000100444901** **(2) PSTL A/c 0637001800049501** **(3) PSTL A/c 0637001800049701**	**Total Rs. 5,84,82,519.83** **[(1) Rs. 32,06,675.83 19.10.2024 + (2) Rs. 4,37,17,469.86 21.10.2024 + (3) Rs. 1,15,58,374.14 21.10.2024]**	**23.07.2024** **Constructive**	<u>**Item No.1:-**</u> All that piece and parcel of **Residential Flat** bearing **No. GF-001,** Ground Floor on the Western side in the Apartment known as **"Ramya Sadana"** with the **Super Built Up Area of 1834.25 sq.ft. & 675 sq.ft.** of undivided share over the land along with one car parking slot in the basement measuring **200 sq.ft.** comprised in **BDA site No. 1014, Municipal No. 24/1, Corporation No. 1014/24, PID No. 34-112-24/1,** situated at 11th Main Road, Ward No. 34, BBMP, Railway Pipeline Road, RPC Layout, Hampinagar, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru -560040 belonging to **Mr. Nagaraju Gubba. Boundaries of Flat: East by :** Corridor, Entrance & then Flat No.02, **West by :** Open to Sky, **North by :** Open to Sky, **South by :** Open to Sky. **Property location: Latitude & Longitude: 12.958487, 77.534554**	**Rs. 1,65,00,000/-**	**Rs. 16,50,000/-**	**10.00 AM to 10.15 AM**	**Rs. 1,00,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – Nehrunagar A/c No. 0633500200004101 IFSC: KARB0000063**
				<u>**Item No.2:-**</u> All that part and parcel of property bearing **Site No.40,** admeasuring **1780 sq.ft.,** (measuring East to West : 40 feet and North to South: 44.50 feet), Layout formed by Binny Mills Workers & other Labours Co-operative Housing Society Ltd. in **Sy. No.10** of K.H Ranganath Colony, 2nd Stage, along with building constructed thereon having PID No. 41-28-40, BBMP Division No.21, present BBMP No.40, Ward No. 41, situated at Deevatige Ramanahalli Layout, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru-560026 belonging to **Mr. Lakshminarayana Gubba & Mrs. Asha G L.** <u>**Boundaries of Property:**</u>**East by :** Road, **West by:** Site No.39, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Road. **Property location: Latitude & Longitude: 12.94678, 77.536889**	**Rs. 1,75,00,000/-**	**Rs. 17,50,000/-**	**10.15 AM to 10.30 AM**		
				<u>**Item No.3:-**</u> All that part and parcel of converted residential land bearing Khata No.326/428, Sy.No.15/2B, measuring 2 Acres 21 Guntas situated at Kibbanahally Village, Kibbanahally Hobli, Tiptur Taluk, Tumakuru District-572114 belonging to **Mr. Puttaraju B.S.** <u>**Boundaries of Property:**</u> **East by** : Milk Booth, **West by:** Remaining property, **North by:** Kharabu Halla, **South by:** Road. **Property location:Latitude & Longitude: 13.311706, 76.657295**	**Rs. 5,00,00,000/-**	**Rs. 50,00,000/-**	**10.30 AM to 10.45 AM**		

(The borrower's/mortgagor's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset).

(This Notice shall also serve as Notice under Sub Rule (6) of Rule 8/Sub Rule (1) of Rule 9 of Security Interest Enforcement Rules-2002 to the Borrower/Guarantors).

<u>**For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to link in Karnataka Bank's Website i.e. https://karnatakabank.com under the head "Auction Notice".**</u>

The E-auction will be conducted through portal www.auctionbazaar.com on **24.10.2025** at above mentioned time with unlimited extension of 05 minutes. The intending bidder is required to register their name at **www.auctionbazaar.com** and get the user Id and password free of cost and get training i.e. online training on E-auction (tentatively on **23.10.2025**) from **M/s ARCA EMART PVT LTD** (Known by their **website: www.auctionbazaar.com**) Auction Bazaar, 7-1-28/1/A/1, Park Avenue 1, Ameerpet, Begumpet, Hyderabad, Secunderabad, Telangana, India – 500016, <u>**Contact No. :**</u> 8885035382, E-mail : **contact@auctionbazaar.com and disposal.karnataka@auctionbazaar.com.**

Date : 03.10.2025
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Assistant General Manager & Authorised Officer,
Karnataka Bank Ltd.

Bellingham fails to regain place in Eng squad

Jude Bellingham failed to regain his place in England's squad on Friday after returning from injury, with England head coach Thomas Tuchel stressing the need to maintain a strong team spirit in the camp and saying there are 'no guarantees' for his superstar players. That meant no recall for Real Madrid's Bellingham and Man City's Phil Foden.

Opener from Karnataka slams his first century at home since 2016 as India tighten their grip over West Indies on second day of opening Test in Ahmedabad

VINTAGE RAHUL TO THE FORE

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KL Rahul plays a shot against West Indies on Day 2 of 1st Test on Friday | AFP

SCOREBOARD

West Indies 1st innings: 162; India 1st innings: Rahul c Greaves b Warrican 100, Gill c Greaves b Chase 50, Jurel c Hope b Pierre 125, Jadeja batting 104, Washington batting 9; **Extras:** (b-12, lb-3, w-1, nb-1) 17; **Total:** (for 5 wickets in 128 overs) 448; **FoW:** 3-188, 4-218, 5-424; **Bowling:** Seales 19-2-53-1, Layne 15-0-38-0, Greaves 12-4-59-0, Warrican 29-5-102-1, Pierre 29-1-91-1, Chase 24-3-90-2.

JUST before lunch on Day Two at the new Motera, KL Rahul whipped one delivery off Roston Chase past the close-in fielder at midwicket. Even before completing the single, the celebration had begun. This was a long time coming so he was determined to continue the celebrations. After completing the run, off came the helmet. What would he do was a question that went around the press box? Would he take his fingers to make a gesture of shutting out the outside noise?

In the end, he took the ring and middle-fingers of his left hand and appeared to suck on it while raising his bat again with the other hand. In hindsight, even that celebration was choreographed (it was for his daughter). And it was apt that was also choreographed because it was that kind of innings from the Indian opener. He was so much in control of what he wanted to do, so in command of the situation.

In the process, he also brought up only his second Test 100 in India and a first since the game against England in Chennai, the one where his statemate, Karun Nair, scored a triple way back in 2016. The 33-year-old, like other modern Indian batters, have a problem in converting centuries into daddies so it wasn't a surprise when he fell minutes after the milestone. It was a nothing shot, an uppish drive off Jomel Warrican pouched by cover. 100 off 197 balls (12x4). But what that score won't tell you is what made this innings a quintessential Rahul ton. The leaves where he tucked his bat behind, like a shy child hiding behind a parent on the first day of school. The nudges in front of square off spin. The stylish drives in front of square off pace. That facet of his batsmanship has been front and centre for the hosts as they manage a changing of guard at the top of the order.

Since the beginning of last year, Yashasvi Jaiswal (1957 runs; 61.9 per cent in boundaries), Shubman Gill (1703; 53.3 per cent) and Rishabh Pant (1156; 60.7 per cent) have been ever present in their top-order. All three of them score over 50 per cent of their runs in fours or sixes. Rahul, in fact, is the only batter in this top-order who has scored fewer than 50 per cent of his runs in fours and sixes.

Peel back the curtain even more and Rahul is also a throwback opener at a time when the Test nations around the world are identifying batters with a penchant for boundary-hitting and taking the game on. Since the beginning of last year, Rahul is the only regular opener without a six (minimum = six matches). He's also the only opener nearer to the top of the run-scorers list who has scored a bulk of his runs not in boundaries (he's fourth behind Jaiswal, Ben Duckett and Zak Crawley and followed by Usman Khawaja, Pathum Nissanka and Aiden Markram). What that list shows is that Rahul is more readily able to sacrifice his fluent strokeplay to play a more conventional game when he wears his India creams.

It was visible across the evening on Day One and before lunch on Day Two against the West Indies. He was unhurried, it was like watching a series set to 0.75x on an OTT platform. It doesn't matter if the bowler is ready to deliver but he will take his time. It doesn't matter if the batter at the other end is boundary-hunting, he will take his time.

And, of late, he's increasingly becoming better at compartmentalising and forgetting what happened the previous delivery. He had a life off Jayden Seales within the first few overs of the morning, when the West Indies pacer found the outside edge but it bisected keeper and slip. Off the next ball he faced, he defended with the full blade. Concentration on point.

After the slower bowlers came on, he milked them for plenty of singles on either side of the wicket. That's the one shot you need in your arsenal to have success in India, especially against spin and Rahul used it in abundance. The gentle clip off the pads or the prod down the ground. Out of the 44 singles, 22 came off the leg side to spinners.

This next phase of Rahul the opener will be crucial to India's short-term Test aspirations because he acts as the bridge between two generations. For all the focus on Gill, Jaiswal and Pant, Rahul's presence at the top is like that of the seasons. A constant in a sea of change.

With a little help from Root and Kobe, Jurel keeps punching up

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN
@ Ahmedabad

Keeper-batter Dhruv Jurel has quietly become a plug and play option | AFP

DURING an Indian Premier League (IPL) season a few years ago, Joe Root walked to Dhruv Jurel for a few friendly words. "I'm expecting," the English No. 4 had told him, "you to be in touch with me during the off season. I know that you are going to be a star."

When Jurel first broke into the Royals set-up in 2023, he had turned to Root whenever he had doubts about anything. Two years and four months later, the former English captain's prophecy is on track.

As the shadows started to lengthen at the new Motera on Friday, a Jurel flick to the boundary brought up his first three figure landmark in Tests. The everyday brilliance of Rishabh Pant's batting has meant India have not really celebrated Jurel's ascension from T20 finisher to Test batter but he has quietly become a plug and play option without the hosts missing their main keeper.

In India, his scores read: 46, 90, 39*, 15 and, now, 125. Sure, he's yet to face some of the better spinners in these conditions but that's not doing him enough justice for his challenge has been something more fundamental. When you essentially know that you are a back-up player, the opportunities are going to be few and far between. Working in such a pressure situation can be unsustainable in the long run because even when you make the XI, you know there's going to be a caveat next to your name irrespective of what you do.

Great performance behind the sticks? But... A 100 after coming into bat at No. 5? If only... His batting allows the team to play an extra bowler? Well...

How does Jurel manage to forget all of this whenever he plays in the Test XI? Through a combination of mental and physical exercises. One, as a disciple of Kobe Bryant's 'Mamba Mentality' — keep putting in the effort to become the best version of yourself every single day and the rest will follow — the 24-year-old tries to turn every lemon into lemonade.

When a question was put to him at the end of the day's play with respect to lack of opportunities, he said: "It's about the huge privilege," the centurion said. "You are with the squad. How many get to be with the squad and how many play Test cricket? I know one day I will get the opportunity and I have to be 100 per cent ready to be able to deliver.

One way to be ready all the time is via visualisations. "I do a lot of visualisations whether I play or not," he said. "I know I have gone through this and what the feeling is like. I visualise everything, from walking in (to the middle) to taking stance... nothing feels different. I am always prepared."

He has also kept alive his working relationship with Root, somebody the batter turned to even during the England tour earlier this year. "(Even) during the England tour... I know him since he came to Rajasthan Royals," he said. "Whenever I feel there is something, I go to him as to what I can do with my batting and he gives simple answers as to how I can play and tackle situations. He says it is difficult to remain consistent but you have to keep doing the same things everyday and you will get the results."

It's giving him the desired results both in front and behind the stumps.

EXPRESS READ

PKL 12: Deshwal shines as Thalaivas win

CHENNAI: Arjun Deshwal led the charge for the Tamil Thalaivas with an epic 22-point performance to beat defending champions Haryana Steelers in the Pro Kabaddi League at the Jawaharlal Nehru Indoor Stadium on Friday. Jaideep Dahiya's High Five and Vishal Tate's Super 10 went down in vain for the Steelers.

Vidarbha in control with 224-run lead over RoI

NAGPUR: Ranji Trophy champions Vidarbha took firm control of the Irani Cup, seizing a healthy first-innings lead and then consolidating it with a solid batting effort in their second essay against Rest of India at the VCA Stadium on Friday. After posting 342 in their first innings, Vidarbha bundled out RoI for 214.

Manish & Keerthivassan in Fenesta Open final

NEW DELHI: Manish Sureshkumar and Keerthivassan Suresh set up the men's singles final against each other while Vaishnavi Adkar and Akanksha Nitture will lock horns for the women's top prize after winning their respective semifinals of the Fenesta Open National Tennis Championship here Friday.

England rout Proteas by 10 wickets

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE

England spinner Linsey Smith (R) celebrates a South African wicket | AP

ENGLAND spinners led by Linsey Smith dominated the proceedings as they thrashed South Africa by 10 wickets to begin their Women's World Cup campaign in a style at the Barsapara Cricket Stadium, Guwahati on Friday.

England skipper Nat Sciver-Brunt chose to field first and her bowlers proved the decision right by bundling out the opponents for a paltry 69 in just 20.4 overs. Wicketkeeper-batter Sinalo Jafta (22) was the lone South African to breach the double figure mark.

England broke no sweat in chasing the paltry target as opener Tammy Beaumont (21) and Amy Jones (40) knocked off the required runs in just 14.1 overs. The dominant victory meant England stormed to the top spot on the points table thanks to their strong net run rate of 3.77.

Jafta fought the lone battle but got no support from another end as South Africa were dismissed for their lowest score against England, second-lowest at a World Cup and third-lowest score overall. **Brief scores:** South Africa 69 in 20.4 ovs (Sinalo Jafta 22; Linsey Smith 3/7, Nat Sciver-Brunt 2/5, Sophie Ecclestone 2/19, Charlie Dean 2/14) **lost to** England 73/0 in 14.1 ovs (Tammy Beautmont 21 not out, Amy Jones 40 not out).

Can Chamari & Co bounce back?

AS SRI LANKA TAKE ON AUSTRALIA IN COLOMBO, A LOOK...

Switching gears

After spending the past few weeks in India, the defending champs will be looking to adapt to conditions in Sri Lanka. The surfaces in Colombo will not be as flat as Indore or New Delhi or New Chandigarh, and the opening duo of Alyssa Healy and Pheobe Litchfield will have to do a lot more than give a quick start.

Lanka's butterfingers

At one point during the opening game of the World Cup, Sri Lanka had India by the ropes. They were half a side down and nowhere near safe, but dropped catches and lack of intent on the field caused SL to slide. Against Australia, at home, they will not want to repeat the same.

SL seek inspiration

The last time these two teams played in an ODI World Cup, Chamari Athapaththu took the world by storm with her unbeaten 178 in 2017. It took a Meg Lanning special for Australia to win the game, but SL need their skipper to create some magic and inspire her team at home.

Sri Lanka vs Australia, Colombo ● Live on Star Sports & JioHotstar, 3 PM

Para Worlds: Stray dogs bite two coaches

AGENCIES @ New Delhi

STRAY dog bite incidents marred the World Para Athletics Championships at the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium on Friday with two foreign coaches — one from Kenya and Japan being the victims though they are out of danger after being treated at a nearby hospital, representatives have said.

Kenyan coach Dennis Mwanzo was speaking to one of his athletes outside the competition arena of the stadium, when a stray dog suddenly came and bit him, according to the official. "The incident happened around 10 am. Blood was oozing out of his leg and the medical team stationed at the stadium reached there," Joel Atuti, a government of Kenya representative, told reporters. In another isolated incident, a Japanese coach identified as Mieko Okumatsu was bitten by another stray dog.

He was also treated at a nearby hospital and was taken to his assigned hotel. Days before the Championships began, the organising committee had written to the Municipal Corporation of Delhi to remove stray dogs from the venue.

3rd medal for lifter Mirabai at World Championships

FIROZ MIRZA @ Chennai

STAR India weightlifter Mirabai Chanu won a silver medal at the IWF World Championships in the 48kg weight category in Forde, Norway on Thursday. The medal was her third at the prestigious event. She had earlier clinched a gold medal in the 2017 edition in the 48kg and finished second competing in 49kg in the 2022 Worlds to bag silver.

The Tokyo Olympics silver medallist had to switch to 48kg from 49kg after the International Weightlifting Federation revised the weight categories for the 2028 Los Angeles Games earlier this year. The Manipuri lifter, who competed in 49kg from January 2019 to the 2024 Paris Olympics, first took part in an international event after changing the category at the Commonwealth Championships held in Ahmedabad in August this year and won the gold.

Worlds medals	
2017	Gold in 48kg
2022	Silver in 49kg
2025	Silver in 48kg

On the day, Mirabai could clear just one attempt in the snatch section lifting 84kg. The remaining two attempts of 87kg could not be completed by her. The 31-year-old then successfully executed all three attempts in the clean and jerk section to finish second behind North Korea's Ri Song Gum. She lifted 109kg, 112kg and 115kg with ease to win her second Worlds silver.

Mirabai lifted a total weight of 199kg, the same she heaved at the Paris Games to finish fourth. She had lifted 88kg in the snatch section and 111kg in the clean and jerk section while competing in the 49kg at the Games. At the Tokyo Olympics where she won the silver medal, she had lifted 87kg in the snatch and 115kg in the clean and jerk taking her total lift to 202kg.

Ahead of the Worlds, head coach Vijay Sharma had said the target was to breach the 200-mark, however, that couldn't be achieved in Norway. The last time she achieved the 200kg total lift was in 2022 Worlds where lifted 87kg and 113kg to be ranked second. Notwithstanding the result, Sharma affirmed they have achieved what they wanted from the tournament. "The performance, given the fact that she is competing in the new weight category, has improved. The event also gave us an opportunity to check where we need to put efforts ahead of the Commonwealth Games and Asian Game scheduled next year. We have identified the areas and will work on them as we have enough time now," head coach Sharma told this daily.

Missing Asiad medal in sight

The performance here gave us a good insight on what to do next. She had won medals at the Worlds and Olympics but Asian Games medal is missing from her trophy cabinet. Hopefully next year she can win the medal as we have enough time to work on areas which we have identified here.

— Vijay Sharma, India's weightlifting head coach

It was learnt that Mirabai has some issue with her thumb but the coach said it's not serious. "Such issues are part and parcel of the game but it is not serious." North Korea's Ri Song set world records in total (213kg) as well as clean and jerk to finish at the top of the podium. After lifting 91kg in the snatch, she went on to heave 120kg and 122kg in the last two attempts of the clean and jerk section setting the world records twice in the C&J and total lift. Thailand's Thanyathon Sukcharoen settled for bronze with a total of 198kg (88kg + 110kg).

BFI CUP 2025

Ex-Worlds medallist Deepak plotting return to national team

ANMOL GURUNG @ Chennai

Deepak Bhoria | PTI

NOT so long ago, Deepak Bhoria was one of the leading faces in men's boxing in the country. After a timely medal at 2023 World Championships, just a year before the coveted Olympic Games, things were looking bright for the Haryana pugilist. But that light faded off as soon as he lost during a crucial Olympic qualifying tournament in Italy in early 2024 summer.

Currently featuring in the BFI Cup 2025 at the VIT, here, Deepak has made peace with that setback and is plotting to make a comeback in the national team. The top-two finishers from the ongoing event will be included in the national camp.

With the 2028 LA Olympics in mind, Deepak is competing in a new weight category, shifting from 51kg to 55kg. Needless to say, it has been a rather tough road to recovery for the 28-year-old from Haryana. "I had an injury to my right hand (wrist) and I had to undergo rehab for that. That was not too serious though. I haven't had much competition in the last one year or so. What I have in my mind right now is to be properly ready in order to enter the camp," Deepak told this daily.

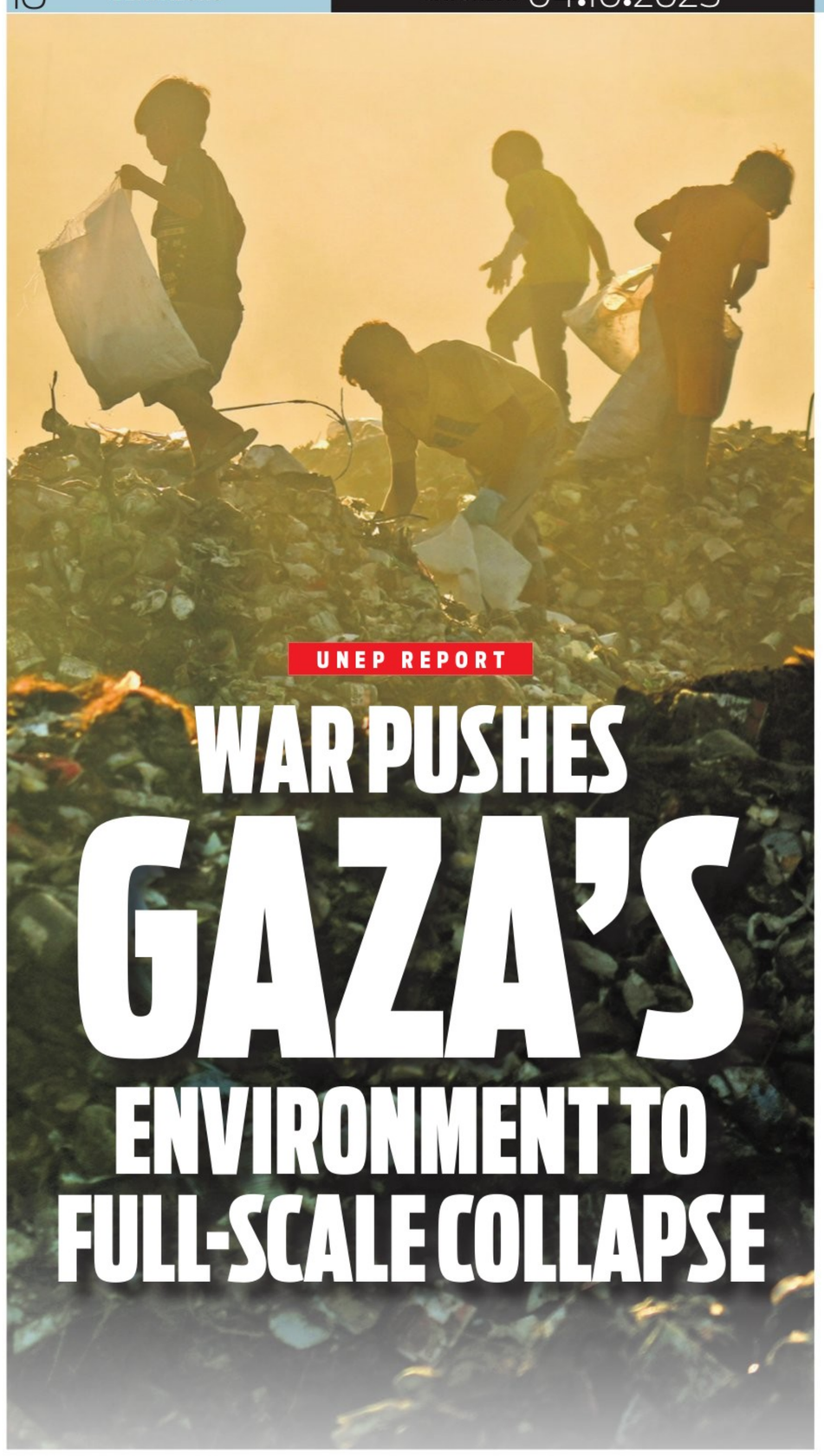
Away from the limelight, Deepak said he had been studying the game from afar, learning a thing or two and totally committed to individual training with future in mind.

"It's an individual sport. We have to manage ourselves. If you're out of the camp, you don't get any tournaments. During that time, I was just working on myself. The game is changing now, there are boxers who are employing more power punches, boxers from Uzbekistan, Kazakhstan. Watching them, we can also add a few things here and there. I want to bring in those changes... If I want to lift my game, I have to enter with an improved mindset. If I can do proper individual training when I'm out of the camp, I can carry that forward to the camp." Having cruised in the opening two rounds of the Chennai meet, the Armyman is on path to his primary goal. On Friday, the Services pugilist defeated Sagar of Haryana by unanimous verdict (5-0). If he keeps up his winning run, he could potentially go on to meet fellow Services pugilist Amit Panghal, who also has similar aspirations.

After some introspection in the last one year or so, Deepak, with more understanding of the sport on his side, is looking to be well-rounded in the coming days. "If I happen to be part of any international meet, I want to be in good form. That's the mindset. And moreover, I'm competing in a new weight category (55kg). I have to be prepared for the challenges that come along with it (new weight category). And there are major tournaments on the horizon, I have to be ready for that," Deepak, who's backed by Olympic Gold Quest, said.

This is not the first time he's trying out the new weight category. In the 1st Chief of Army Staff Boxing Cup in Army Sports Institute, Pune, he had competed in the 55kg for the first time and had lost by split decision in the last-four stage. Having gotten a feel of the new category, he emphasized his need to boost his strength. After the recent Liverpool World Championships setback, Deepak is aware that the door is open for the likes of him ahead of the Asian and Commonwealth Games next year. But he's also quick to ascertain that it's still early days for him.

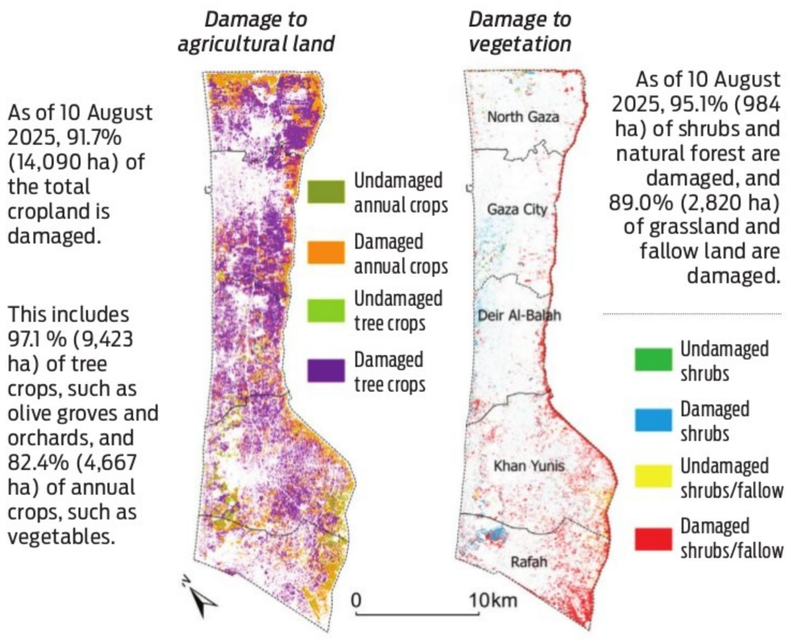
Full story: newindianexpress.com



UNEP REPORT

WAR PUSHES GAZA'S ENVIRONMENT TO FULL-SCALE COLLAPSE

Damage in the Gaza Strip (Oct 2023 - Aug 2025)


Damage to agricultural land
Damage to vegetation
As of 10 August 2025, 91.7% (14,090 ha) of the total cropland is damaged.
This includes 97.1 % (9,423 ha) of tree crops, such as olive groves and orchards, and 82.4% (4,667 ha) of annual crops, such as vegetables.
Undamaged annual crops
Damaged annual crops
Undamaged tree crops
Damaged tree crops
North Gaza
Gaza City
Deir Al-Balah
Khan Yunis
Rafah
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10km
As of 10 August 2025, 95.1% (984 ha) of shrubs and natural forest are damaged, and 89.0% (2,820 ha) of grassland and fallow land are damaged.
Undamaged shrubs
Damaged shrubs
Undamaged shrubs/fallow
Damaged shrubs/fallow

Source: Environmental Impact of the Escalation of Conflict in the Gaza Strip

Ending the human suffering that has engulfed Gaza must be the priority. But restoring freshwater systems and removing debris are equally urgent to save lives and rebuild a foundation for recovery.

— Inger Andersen, UNEP executive director

SV KRISHNA CHAITANYA @ Chennai

TWO years of relentless conflict in the Gaza Strip have left an environmental disaster of unprecedented scale, the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) warns in a new report released this week. The assessment portrays a collapsing ecosystem, polluted water supplies, and farmland laid to waste, raising fears that recovery could take decades without immediate, science-based interventions. The report titled "Environmental Impact of the Escalation of Conflict in the Gaza Strip" details the destruction up to September 2025. It says the territory's environmental collapse is compounding a dire humanitarian crisis. The report comes just weeks after an independent panel concluded parts of Gaza are already in famine. "Ending the human suffering that has engulfed Gaza must be the priority," said UNEP Executive Director Inger Andersen. "But restoring freshwater systems and removing debris are equally urgent to save lives and rebuild a foundation for recovery."

The war has crippled Gaza's water infrastructure. Of the 54 storage reservoirs and pumping facilities that existed before October 2023, only nine remain active — just three of them undamaged —representing an 84 per cent loss in capacity. Gaza's seawater desalination plant, once capable of producing 30,000 cubic meters per day, is operating at less than a sixth of that due to war damage and chronic fuel shortages. Of 214 groundwater desalination units, only 84 remain functional. Together, they supply just 22 million cubic meters per year, well below the population's needs.

None of Gaza's six wastewater treatment plants are operational, pushing untreated sewage into the aquifer and marine environment. With piped networks shattered, many families have resorted to makeshift cesspits, increasing risks of groundwater contamination, the report says. The public health toll has been devastating. Reported cases of acute watery diarrhoea surged 36-fold between 2023 and 2025, from 11,562 to over 412,000 cases. Acute jaundice syndrome, a marker of hepatitis A, exploded 384-fold to 41,515 cases. Children under five account for 65 per cent of diarrhoeal cases. Polio, absent for decades, has re-emerged through wastewater transmission, while respiratory infections linked to dust from explosions and rubble exceeded 37,000 cases in June 2025 alone. Before the war, nearly one-third of Gaza's land was used for agriculture, producing olives, citrus, vegetables, and poultry. Today, agriculture has all but collapsed. By August 2025, 91.7 per cent of Gaza's cropland had been damaged, according to satellite analysis. The destruction is near-total for certain crops: 97 per cent of tree crops such as olive groves, 95 per cent of shrubland, and 82 per cent of annual crops like vegetables are gone. With farmland inaccessible or destroyed, food production has collapsed.

Over half a million people face famine conditions, and nearly one million more are in a state of emergency. "Food production at scale is no longer possible," the report warns. Fuel shortages have worsened the damage, with civilians cutting down the few remaining trees for firewood. Soil, compacted by military activity and stripped of vegetation, has lost its ability to absorb rainwater, raising flood risks and reducing groundwater recharge. UNEP warns that damage to soils may be permanent. The war has also levelled Gaza's urban fabric. Of an estimated 2,50,000 buildings, 78 per cent have been damaged or destroyed, including more than 2,82,000 housing units, leaving most of Gaza's 2.2 million people displaced. The destruction has created 61 million tonnes of debris — 20 times more than all previous Gaza conflicts since 2008 combined. The volume is equivalent to 15 Great Pyramids of Giza or 25 Eiffel Towers. While much of the debris is inert concrete and brick, UNEP highlights dangerous "hot spots" where asbestos, industrial chemicals, and heavy metals from destroyed solar installations pose serious contamination risks. In refugee camps, older asbestos-laced construction is especially hazardous.

Soil contamination is another looming crisis. While no comprehensive chemical survey has been conducted, UNEP warns of significant risks from heavy metals, unexploded ordnance, fuel spills, and industrial waste, noting that past conflicts suggest contamination could persist for decades. Marine ecosystems are also threatened, with untreated sewage and contaminated runoff likely polluting Gaza's coastal waters, though testing remains impossible due to security constraints.

UNEP has set out 30 recommendations to begin reversing the damage. These include rapid reconstruction of water and sewage infrastructure, large-scale debris clearance with safe handling of asbestos and hazardous materials, mapping of soil contamination, long-term ecological restoration, recycling of rubble to aid reconstruction, and the inclusion of local expertise and communities in planning. The report stresses that Gaza's recovery hinges on an immediate ceasefire and coordinated, science-based action. Without it, UNEP warns, the enclave faces "a legacy of environmental destruction that could affect the health and well-being of generations."

Since 1999, UNEP has conducted over 40 post-conflict environmental assessments worldwide, from the Balkans to Sudan. But the Gaza findings rank among the most severe. Compared to UNEP's first assessment in June 2024, debris has risen 57 per cent in just over a year, while damage to cropland now exceeds 90 per cent. "The situation is going from bad to worse," Andersen said. "If this continues, it will leave behind an ecological collapse that will take generations to undo."

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Tender No.: 2025/IRCTC/CO/SER/RedHat Software for Procurement of Software Licenses for NGeT System of IRCTC. Pre-bid meeting (VC): **08.10.2025** at **12:00 hrs.** Last date for submission: **17.10.2025** up to **15:00 hrs.**

For more details visit **www.irctc.com** and **www.tenderwizard.com/IRCTC**. Tender document downloading & participation can be done on **www.tenderwizard.com/IRCTC**.

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- **Applicants should be residents of the respective areas, should be fluent in Kannada and English.**
- **Age should be within 18-68 years.**
- **KYC details such as Aadhaar & PAN Card copies.**
- **Applicants must have 10th pass certificate.**
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For further details, Applicants can contact nearest Bank's Office/Branches.
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DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)]
TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

Notice Issued under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets & Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Canara Bank, **Jayanagar 9th block branch** (hereinafter referred to as "the secured creditor"), appointed under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, (hereinafter referred as the "Act") do hereby issue this notice to you as under:

REF: 2613/NPA/AL/891-1/2025-26/1 **DATE: 25.09.2025**

Name and address of the Borrower and Guarantors : M/s Bio Point India Pvt.Ltd., #502, 12th Main, MSR Enclave, Near Nagasandra Metro Station, Nagasandra, Bangalore 560073, **(Guarantors) Managing Director: Sri Aniketan U P**, #502, 12th Main, MSR Enclave, Near Nagasandra Metro Station, Nagasandra, Bangalore 560073, **Director : Smt. Amulya N S,** #502, 12th Main, MSR Enclave, Near Nagasandra Metro Station, Nagasandra, Bangalore 560073, **(Guarantors) Smt. R. Manjula,** #502, 12th Main, MSR Enclave, Near Nagasandra Metro Station, Nagasandra, Bangalore 560073, **Sri B.R. Siddesh, Son of Sri Late Revanna Sidappa,** No.3163, 10th Main Road, 3rd Cross, MCC Block, Southern Division, Devanagere 577004, **Smt. Ananya U P,** No. S 32, Deccan Terrace, 8th Main, Malleswaram, Bengaluru 560003, **Sri K.N. Umesh,** #502, 12th Main, MSR Enclave, Near Nagasandra Metro Station, Nagasandra, Bangalore 560073.

[Details of the credit Facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Loan No.	Nature Of Loan	Liability With Interest As On 25.09.2025	Rate Of Interest
2613891000001	Agriculture Term Loan	Rs. 23,03,23,243.16	13.25 % p.a. plus applicable penal interest
170007910558	GECL	Rs. 1,67,65,254.62	09.25 % p.a. plus applicable penal interest

Total Liability Amount: Rs.24,70,88,497.78/- (Rupees Twenty-Four Crore Seventy Lakhs Eighty-Eight Thousand Four Hundred Ninety-Seven and Paisa Seventy-Eight only) together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.
NPA Date: 24.09.2025 **Demand Notice Date: 25.09.2025**
Name Of Title holder: M/s Bio Point India Pvt.Ltd.
Details of Security assets : SCHEDULE-B: Mortgage of converted land bearing Sy. No. 26/8 measuring 2 acres 35 guntas located at Metikurke village, Hiriyur Taluk, Chitradurga Dist., standing in the name of M/s Bio Point India Pvt. Ltd., and **bounded by: East:** LA No. 276 land, **West:** Land of B Thippamma, **North:** LA No. 276 land, **South:** LA - Hl 2 land.
Name Of Title holder: Mr.K.N. Umesh and Mrs.R.Manjula
Mortgage of residential-cum-commercial building situated at site no. 502 (Sy No. 14), 12th Main BBMP Khata No. 14, situated at Nagasandra, MSR Enclave, Ramaiah layout, Nagasandra Post, Bengaluru 560076 with a 70 by 70 site = 4900 sft dimension and built up area pf 16300 sft with 3 and a half floors of carpet area wherein two floors of commercial space (rented out) and three shops (rentend out) with this a 5500sft of self-used residence space and **bounded by: East:** 30 ft road, **West:** Water Tank and site no. 535, **North:** Site No. 503, **South:** 30 ft road.
Name Of Title holder: Mrs. Ananya U P
Mortgage of Flat No. S-3, 2nd Floor having present BBMP PID No. 7-20-48/6-8 measuring 1585 sft., situated at Deccan Terrace, site No. 48/6, 8th Main, 13th Cross, BBMP Ward No. 65, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru and **bounded by: East:** Plot No. V(2), **West:** 8th main Road, **North:** Private Property, **South:** Plot No. IV.
Name Of Title holder: Mr. B R Siddesh
Mortgage of Commercial land and building situated at No. 472/1, 7th Main, 7th Cross, 5th Ward, 9th Division, PJ Extension, Davangere measuring 2600 sft. **Bounded by:North:** Common passage and thereafter property of Sri Mallikarjuna swamy, **South:** Road, **East:** House of Smt. Chandramma com Jayanna, **West:** 7th Main Road.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of **60 days** from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which, **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagors including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by Canara Bank shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice and also Hypothecated /Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date: 25.09.2025 Sd/- Authorized Officer
Place: Bengaluru Canara Bank

Karnataka Solar Power Development Corporation Limited
(A Joint Venture Company of KREDL- GoK & SECI-GoI)
6/13/1, KREDL Office Building, 5th Floor, 10th Block,
Nagarabhavi, 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560 072.
No.: KSPDCL/F-254/2025-26 Date: 04.10.2025

Invitation for Bids

The Karnataka Solar Power Development Corporation Limited hereby invites Electronic bids for Design, supply, installation, testing & commissioning of the Solar Street Lighting Systems with 5 years warranty including operation & maintenance from Thirumani to Rayacherlu village Road in Thirumani Grama Panchayat of Pavagada Taluk under CSR funds of KSPDCL through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal, Government of Karnataka. Bid documents will be available in the KPP portal **(www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in)** on or after **06.10.2025.**

Sd/- Chief Executive Officer, KSPDCL

Government of Karnataka
Panchayath Raj Engineering Department
Office of the Executive Engineer, Hassan
Division Hassan.

Postponed

The tender invited by this office Vide Tender Notification No:14/2025-26 dated:22.09.2025 has been Postpond due to Some Technical Resons. Postpond dates are Mention Below. All other terms and Conditions shall however remain same has Original Notification. In case of any amendment will be uploaded on the KPPP portal. Last Date and Time for Receipt of Tenders: 08.10.2025 16.00.00 Date and Time for Opening of Technical Bid:09.10.2024 16.05.00 Date and Time for Opening of Financial Bid:13.10.2025 16.00.00

sd/- Executive Engineer,
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REGIONAL OFFICE DEVANAHALLI
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DEMAND NOTICE

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

We, **Canara Bank** had issued Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledged and returned due to non-availability of Addresee at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. Further, Bank had served the said demand notices by affixture at the addresses given. The contents of the said notice are mentioned herein below.

Name & Address of the Borrowers/Guarantor/Mortgagor : 1) Sri Kiran Kumar C (Borrower) S/o. Channarayappa H., 31, Harohalli Village, Devanahalli (T), Avathi, Bengaluru -562110. **2) Sri Channarayappa H M (Co Applicant)**, S/o. Munibyrappa, 31, Harohalli Village, Devanahalli (T), Avathi, Bengaluru -562110. **3) Sri M Nagarajappa (Guarantor & Mortgagor)** S/o. Munibyrappa, No. B 11, BHEL Township "A", 19th Cross, Opp Kashi Mantapa, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003. **Also to :** No. 215, 1st Main Road, Opp. Hotel Janatha, Subramanya Nagar, Bengaluru- 21. **Also to :** Survey No. 82, Present Corporation No. 56, Corporation Divison No. 1, Mathikere, Behind S.B.M Colony, Bangalore-560054.

Sl. No.	Loan Number	Nature of Loan	Amount	Date of Sanction
1	0427651011727	Education Loan	Rs. 10,00,000/-	18-04-2011

Total Liability Amount : Rs. 11,51,363.16 (Rupees Eleven Lakhs Fifty One Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Three and Sixteen Paisa Only), as on 06.09.2025, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.
NPA Date : 05.01.2020 **Demand Notice: Date : 25.09.2025**
Description of the Movable Property : EMT of all the part and parcel of the residential property bearing no. 23, formed in survey no. 82 present corporation no. 56, Corporation Divison No.1 situated at Mathikere, behind S.B.M colony, Bangalore City Measuring East to West 30Feet north to South 40 Feet and **bounded on : East :** Property No. 20, **West :** 30 Feet Road, **North :** Property No. 22, **South :** Property No. 24.

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Date : 25.09.2025 **Sd/-Authorised Officer**
Place : Devanahalli **Canara Bank**

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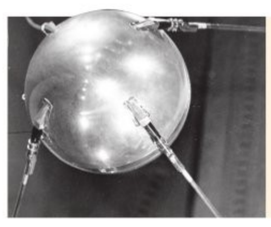

DAY'S DIARY

Sputnik 1 launch

In 1957, Sputnik 1 was launched by USSR and entered Earth's orbit. Sputnik had a diameter of 22 inches and weighed 184 pounds

RADIO SIGNALS

Visible with binoculars before sunrise or after sunset, Sputnik transmitted radio signals back to Earth strong enough to be picked up by amateur radio operators

ASSISTANCE

Sputnik 1 provided scientists with data about the nature and ion density of the Earth's upper atmosphere to know how radio frequencies would work in space

SPUTNIK CRISIS

Sputnik was some 10 times the size of the first planned US satellite, which was not scheduled to be launched until the next year

Best of Bengaluru PG 2

The Final Act

The Sky is Pink director Shonali Bose reflects on her documentary film *A Fly on the Wall*, which chronicles the final days of her friend Chika Kapadia, the screening of which is healing several hearts

In 2022, Chika Kapadia on whom *A Fly on the Wall* is based, chose to end his life through assisted death in Switzerland

SRUTHI HEMACHANDRAN

WHEN **Shonali Bose** speaks about death, there's no hushed tone or fearful pause. The National Award-winning director was recently in the city for the screening of her docu-film *A Fly on the Wall* at Bangalore International Centre, and she leans into the subject with a candour that is both startling and comforting. In the film, she becomes a 'fly on the wall', capturing her friend Chika Kapadia's final moments, who despite cancer was full of life as a standup comic. In 2022, he chose to end his life through assisted death at Dignitas in Switzerland, a decision that became the emotional heart of the documentary.

Bose has lived through the loss of her mother at 21 and later her son Ishan, whose death she believes gifted her a radical acceptance of mortality. "For me, death became just another moment. It became something wonderful," she says. Reflecting further, she adds, "It doesn't matter the years. It's like running a marathon. Whether you finish in 50 minutes or five hours, you've still crossed the finishing line."

While Bose's previous films, *Amu* (2005), *Margarita with a Straw* (2015) and *The Sky is Pink* (2019), also grappled with loss, *A Fly on the Wall* was different. This time, a real person was dying and Bose was present throughout, witnessing vulnerability and courage that cannot be staged.

A Silent Ode

Shooting with Kapadia was raw and at times deeply moving. Bose made sure to leave out intimate moments from Kapadia's life, a promise made to her dear friend before his death. "His thank-you speeches weren't included. I'd also made this commitment that the camera will be cut the moment he slips into coma," she says as she remembers how silence and tears took them over shortly. "For a moment, there was nobody in the room and I hugged him tightly, huddling him in a last goodbye."

Documenting Kapadia's final days transformed Bose's understanding of dignity. She reflects, "Watching Chika take his last breath was so peaceful; I wish I could give this experience to everyone." She underscores that in India, where many people lack the right to live with dignity, access to a dignified death should be universal. "Even the poorest shouldn't be forced to endure prolonged pain," she says. The process was also a lesson in empathy and patience. "Chika would shout at me, calling me a fly on the wall. He exposed himself in ways I had never seen: laughing, crying, frustrated, vulnerable. Being there in those moments was terrifying and beautiful at the same time," Bose recalls.

Nilesh Maniyar, her co-creator and Kapadia's mutual friend, pushed her to capture moments honestly, reminding her why this story matters. Another key collaborator was sound designer Resul Pookutty, providing lapel mics and sound equipment, ensuring the film retained its clarity and intimacy.

Beyond the Screen

Yet the journey to audiences was fraught with obstacles with the film facing repeated rejection at major western international festivals, including the Toronto International Film Festival, despite getting positive response from all corners, including questions about why the film was not going to the Oscars. Bose remembers the frustration vividly, as she says, "Filmmakers don't talk about these feelings. I've cried, thinking how no one is taking this, even the festivals I attended in the past. The only conclusion is that it is not good enough. But then that's not the experience of anybody watching."

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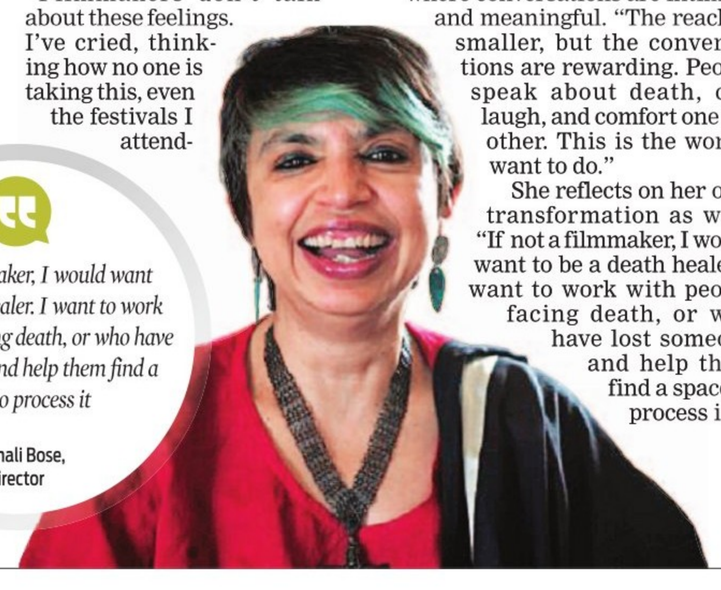
>
> Shonali Bose, director

But when audiences finally saw it, the response was transformative. At Busan International Film Festival, the screening was house full, the audience young and the standing ovation unforgettable. In the lobby afterwards, many shared their own stories in tears. Bose recounts, "People tell you things they've never spoken about. A young girl at the Dharamshala International Film Festival told me she was suicidal, but watching the film gave her hope. It's not about death, it's about life."

Bose deliberately avoids OTT platforms, fearing the film could be buried without festival recognition or marketing. Instead, she focuses on community screenings where conversations are intimate and meaningful. "The reach is smaller, but the conversations are rewarding. People speak about death, cry, laugh, and comfort one another. This is the work I want to do."

She reflects on her own transformation as well: "If not a filmmaker, I would want to be a death healer. I want to work with people facing death, or who have lost someone and help them find a space to process it."



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Bangalore Queer Film Festival is set to mark its 15th edition with a focus on stories of queer lives in India, particularly Bengaluru

On the Rainbow Screen

Queer activist Akkai Padmashali is featured in one of the films that will be screened

MAHIMA NAGARAJU

THERE weren't many queer films in the Indian context at the time. They were not in theatres, so whoever was gay, lesbian, trans or queer in Bangalore had no way to access representations of queer life," recalls Nitya Vasudevan, one of the co-directors of Bangalore Queer Film Festival (BQFF), explaining the necessity for connection and desire to see oneself represented in stories, which led to the first edition in 2008.

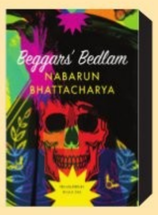
With the advent of OTT and the last decade seeing a handful of theatrical releases, audiences may not be starving for meaningful queer + like 17 years ago, but they aren't spoilt for choice either. Each year, the long beeline outside BQFF's gates, with people, especially young ones, hoping to snag a seat, is perhaps proof of this desire for connection and representation.

With its 15th edition kicked off on Friday, BQFF is focusing on Indian films, especially stories of and by the city's queer community. "It's been quite nice because we had a lot of films made by people who are part of the community in Bangalore, who have also been part of the BQFF audience. We're also including a retrospective this year (on Sunday morning), bringing films from the past that we and the audiences have really liked," says Anushka M, another co-director. The films on show are a mix of short films, features and documentaries, alongside more experimental films. "There's a film called *"A Miniscule Minority"* that talks about various political parties and what their relationship to bringing queer politics into their agenda has been. Basically, looking into queer rights movements and many activists trying to directly engage with these parties," she highlights. One of the activists featured in it is Bengaluru-based Akkai Padmashali. "The closing film, *Zinda Hai*, is a fun documentary film made in a house in Goa, which follows a bunch of young trans and queer people living together, creating punk music," Anushka adds.

Over the years, the festival has become a place to build community for Bengalureans. Anushka points out, "Loneliness is something that all of us face at various points, queer or not, and I think watching films together and just the act of coming together is quite beautiful". Vasudevan adds, "Slowly, it also became a space of gathering where people can make friends, spend time among a large group of queer people, dress up in drag, whatever they want."

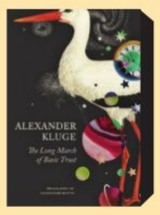
(BQFF will be held at Medai - The Stage, Koramangala, till October 5. For details, visit bqff.in)

BOOK NOOK



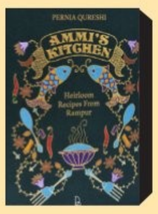
Beggars' Bedlam
By Nabarun Bhattacharya

Part literary descendent of Bulgakov's *The Master and Margarita* and part a reconstruction of lost Bengali history – this is a surreal novel that unleashes the chaos of the carnival on the familiar.



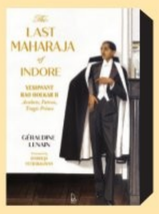
The Long March of Basic Trust
By Alexander Kluge

Blurring the lines between fiction and philosophy, Kluge builds an intricate world enriched by hybrid images and his latest experiment: the 'virtual camera', a cinematic eye that captures the interplay of memory and invention



Ammi's Kitchen: Heirloom Recipes from Rampur
By Pernia Qureshi

This cookbook is a tribute to all grandmothers who have been the torchbearers of saving and passing on the legacy of classic traditional family recipes.



The Last Maharaja Of Indore
By Geraldine Lenain

While the Holkars were always known for their patronage especially towards arts and textiles, it was Yeshwant Rao who put Indore on the international style circuit with his chic and modernist personal style.

JUMBO CASE OF CARE

Artist Aparna Rajapandian shares a gist of her work with Sudha Narayanan, founder trustee of CARE, at 'The Chimeric Concoction', her fundraising solo art show for rescued animals, at Art Houz, Vasanth Nagar | **VINOD KUMAR T**

NOWSTREAMING

REGIONAL

MADHARAASI (Tamil)

Disturbed by recent events, an unsettled man must find his footing in order to survive the crossfire between the police and the dangerous world of arms smuggling.

Cast: Sivakarthikeyan, Vidyut Jamwal, Rukmini Vasanth

● **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

SON OF SARDAAR 2 (Hindi)

In a village, 12-year-old Aarav and friends participate in the annual Mango Festival hunt for a rare golden mango. They face challenges, rivalries, learn teamwork and the festival's meaning of unity, strengthening their bonds upon finding the mango.

Cast: Ajay Devgn, Mrunal Thakur, Roshni Walia

● **Watch on:** Netflix

FOREIGN

MARVEL ZOMBIES (English, series)

A new generation of Marvel heroes battle against an ever-spreading zombie scourge.

Cast: Dominique Thorne, Iman Vellani, Florence Pugh, Elizabeth Olsen

● **Watch on:** JioHotstar

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APPLE CIDER VINEGAR: WHAT DOES IT REALLY DO?

Health fads often promise quick fixes, and apple cider vinegar (ACV) has been one of the most talked-about superfoods in recent years. From weight loss claims to skin remedies, it is often portrayed as a miracle cure. But how much of this is fact, and how much is hype? Here's a closer look at what ACV actually does for your body.

WHAT IS APPLE CIDER VINEGAR?

ACV is made by fermenting apple juice in two steps. First, natural sugars are converted into alcohol to form cider. Then, through further fermentation, the alcohol turns into acetic acid, which gives ACV its strong smell and taste.

BLOOD SUGAR AND DIABETES

Some studies show that taking small amounts of ACV with meals or before bedtime can help reduce spikes in blood sugar and insulin levels. This may make it useful as a supporting tool for people managing type 2 diabetes. However, ACV cannot replace medication, a healthy diet, or regular exercise. It has a limited role and should be treated as an addition, not a cure.

SKIN HEALTH AND ACNE

Online sources often claim ACV works against acne and discolouration because of its antimicrobial and exfoliating properties. In reality, there is no solid evidence to support this. Its high acidity can irritate or even damage skin if applied directly. Consulting a dermatologist before using it topically is the safer route.

KILLING BACTERIA

Acetic acid in ACV can kill some bacteria, especially those found in raw vegetables like salad leaves. But it is not effective for disinfecting wounds or treating infections, and its use on cuts can be harmful.

WEIGHT LOSS CLAIMS

Perhaps the most popular belief is that ACV burns fat. A 2009 study reported modest weight loss among participants who consumed vinegar daily. However, experts, including those from Harvard Health, note that such studies were small, short-term, and not specific to ACV. Some suggest that acetic acid may slightly boost metabolism, but the evidence is far from conclusive. At best, ACV may aid satiety, helping you feel fuller, but it is no replacement for a calorie-controlled diet and regular exercise.

HOW MUCH IS SAFE?

Most experts agree that one to two tablespoons a day, diluted in water, is safe. Consuming more can erode tooth enamel, irritate the throat, and upset digestion.

THE TAKEAWAY

ACV can be part of a healthy diet, especially in salad dressings or as a pickling agent. But it is not a magic bullet for weight loss or disease prevention. Enjoy it in moderation, but don't expect it to undo the effects of an unhealthy lifestyle. For long-term health, balanced eating and consistent physical activity remain the true essentials.

By Madhura Paroolkar, nutrition expert, cult— a fitness and wellness platform

QUICKFIX

CHEESE BREAD OMELETTE

INGREDIENTS

- **Bread slice** : 2
- **Chilli powder:** 1/2 tsp
- **Onion:** 1, finely chopped
- **Cheese slice :** 2
- **Egg:** 2
- **Salt:** 1 tsp
- **Coriander leaves:** 1 tsp
- **Chilli flakes:** 1 tsp

METHOD

- In a bowl, crack the eggs. Add onions, chilli powder, salt and coriander leaves.
- Beat them well and put the egg batter on a hot pan. Then put two bread slices on the egg.
- Then add cheese slices and chilli flakes. Fold the omlette and bread. Serve hot.

Contributed by **Asoda Shifra Alina,** Hyderabad

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WHATWHENWHYWHERE

Lights Up!

Get along with your family or friends to experience a unique candlelight musical experience. The event will be a tribute to musician AR Rahman, blending ambience, artistry, and performance in an intimate setting.

WHEN: October 4, 9pm
WHERE: Hyatt Centric, Hebbal
DETAILS: liveyourcity.com

Swifties Assemble!

Kickstart your weekend with 'The Life of a Showgirl' listening party, specially curated for Swifties. Highlight of the event includes playing and screening of Taylor Swift songs and videos alongside glitter and makeup stations to get you looking bejeweled, and also a photobooth fun to capture the memories.

WHEN: October 5, 3pm
WHERE: Bira 91 Taproom, Koramangala
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Candle Crafting

Unleash your inner artisan and learn the art of candle crafting. Join for 90 minutes of hands-on fun where you will create your unique candles from scratch.

WHEN: October 4, 3.30pm
WHERE: Third Wave Coffee, HSR Layout
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Nostalgic Comedy

Watch Kannada play *Jana Enanthaare*, written and directed by Chandan Kumar. The event promises an evening of entertainment and storytelling through a retro setting. Blending humour, drama and emotion, the play promises a meaningful stage that blends nostalgia and creativity.

WHEN: October 4, 7pm
WHERE: Kalagrama, Marathahalli
CALL: 98864 65852

Raga Magic

Immerse yourself in a karaoke performance at Krishna's Carnatic Karaoke to experience the essence of classical music. The event offers popular classical-based compositions in karaoke format, empowering music lovers to practice, perform and participate in functions, social gatherings, and learning spaces with confidence.

WHEN: October 5, 6pm
WHERE: Aaroosha Karaoke And Art Studio
CALL: 91360 22136

Natya Rasa

Witness a Bharatanatyam 'Yatha Guru Tata Shishya' stage debut performance by **Sharanya N**, disciple of Vidushi Kavya Dilip of Bengaluru's Rachanha Dance Academy. The chief guests of the programme are Rashmi Prasad, Department of Performing Arts, Bangalore University and Director of Natya Deepika School of Bharatnatyam, and Vidushi Suma Krishnamurthy, Bharatanatyam dancer, musician, Nattuvanar artistic director at Lalithashree Nruthya Dhaama.

WHEN: October 5, 9.30am
WHERE: Seva Sadan Auditorium, Malleswaram

Hello Stranger!

Step out of your comfort zone and enter an experience filled with conversations & culinary delights. 'Lunch with Strangers' is a premium social dining experience where strangers meet, eat and leave as friends. Take yourself to network, bond and indulge in some storytelling.

WHEN: October 4, 4pm
WHERE: Brik Oven, Koramangala
DETAILS: allevents.in

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CELESTIAL WAVES

Shiva's cosmic dance, Prabancha Thandavam, echoes through the endless ocean's waves in artist Selvakannan Rathinam's acrylic painting

Chai, chai...

With 'Chai Day' celebrating India's classic masala tea, *CE* brews up a curation of treats inspired by its flavours

Spiced Chai Martini

Ingredients

- Vodka: 2 oz
- Chai concentrate: 1 oz
- Lemon juice: ½ oz
- Ground cinnamon: A dash
- Ice cubes: As needed

Chai concentrate

- Black tea: 5 tsps
- Water: 5 cups
- Ginger: 2-3 inches
- Sugar: 5 tsps
- Star anise: 1
- Cinnamon: 2 sticks
- Clove: 4
- Cardamom: 10 pods
- Fennel seeds: 1 tsp
- Black pepper: ½ tsp

For the rim

- Ground cinnamon: ¼ tsp
- Sugar: 2 tsp

Method: Chai concentrate: Lightly crush star anise, cinnamon, cardamom, clove, fennel seeds and black pepper together. Take the spices and ginger in a saucepan. Boil it with 5 cups of water. Let it simmer for five minutes. Add sugar and tea powder. Let it steep for 5 minutes and turn off the heat. Let it sit for 10 minutes. Strain the tea concentrate. Cool it completely before storing.

Cocktail: Mix cinnamon and sugar on a plate. Rub the rim of the chilled glass with lime and roll it in the cinnamon sugar. Fill a cocktail shaker with ice cubes. Add vodka, chai tea concentrate, fresh lemon juice, and a dash of ground cinnamon. Shake well for 30 seconds. Pour the mixture into the glass.

Classic Masala Chai

Ingredients

- Water: 2 cups
- Tea: 2 tsp
- Green cardamom pods: 2
- Clove: 1
- Ginger: 1 inch (chopped into slices)
- Black peppercorn: ¼ tsp (freshly cracked)
- Cinnamon stick: ½
- Milk: 1 cup
- Sugar: 2 tsp or to taste

Method

Add spices to a mortar and crush them lightly. Pour water into a saucepan on high heat, and add the spices. Bring the water to a boil and add the tea leaves. Lower the heat to a medium to low setting and simmer for two minutes or till the tea is strong enough. Then, add the milk and let it boil, bubbling to the top. Remove the pot from the heat. Pour it and drink.

Spiced chai scones

Ingredients

- Scones:
- All-purpose flour: 250g
- Baking powder: 1/4 tsp
- Salt: 1/4 tsp
- Unsalted butter: 75g (melted)
- Vanilla extract: 1 tsp
- White caster sugar: 25g
- Chai spice: 2 tsp (1/4 tsp of cinnamon, cardamom, nutmeg and a pinch of clove)
- Saffron: A pinch
- Tea leaves: 2 tsp
- Yoghurt: 2 tbsp
- Milk: 100ml

Egg-wash

- Milk: 1/2 tbsp
- Butter: 1 tsp
- Maple syrup: 1 tsp

Method

Melt the butter. Keep it in the fridge for 10-15 mins. Preheat the oven to 220 degrees Celsius. Boil the milk, add tea to it, along with vanilla and spices. Steep for 10 mins. Mix the flour, baking powder, salt and sugar. Add butter to it and mix it till you get a breadcrumb texture. Filter the tea and add it to the mix with yoghurt. Mix until everything comes together. Roll the dough into 2cm thick sheets. Cut out your scones with a 2.5-inch round cutter. Mix the egg wash ingredients together and microwave for 10 seconds to melt the butter and loosen the syrup. Brush on top of each scone. Bake on a lined baking sheet on the middle rack for around 12 minutes. Serve with jam.

Apple Masala Chai Cake

Ingredients

- Unsalted butter: 3/4 cup
- Darjeeling tea leaves: 2 tbsp, finely ground
- All-purpose flour: 2 cups
- Baking powder: 2 tsp
- Baking soda:1/4 tsp
- Chai masala spice mix: 1 1/2 tsp
- Sea salt: 1/4 tsp
- Apples: 2
- Brown sugar: 1 cup packed
- Eggs: 4 large
- Icing sugar for dusting

Chai masala mix:

- Seeds of 10 green cardamom pods, 1 black cardamom pod
- 6 black peppercorns
- 4 Whole cloves
- One 1-inch piece cinnamon stick
- 1 tbsp ground ginger

Method: Grease a round cake tin and line its base with parchment paper. Preheat oven to about 175 degrees Celsius. In a bowl, sift together ground tea leaves, flour, baking powder, baking soda, chai masala and salt. Coat the diced apples with this dry mix. Cream the butter and brown sugar until light and fluffy. Add eggs one at a time. Incorporate the dry mix until no more streaks of flour are visible. Fold in the apples. Pour the batter into the prepared tin and level the top. Bake for 55-60 minutes. Let it cool. Dust with icing sugar.

KRISHNA P S

TEA is a constant companion for every Indian, from the moment one wakes up, to breaks that make work hours bearable and evenings when one sits down to unwind.

Chai Day, on September 21, is an American homage to our very own masala chai. No one has been able to pinpoint its origin in the subcontinent. We know that the cultivation of tea leaves began in ancient China and thee was even an ancient trade route linking India and China, via Tibet.

With colonialism, tea gained a new reputation. India, the second-largest producer, began cultivating it in the 1840s in the hills of Assam, Bengal, Kerala, Tamil Nadu and Karnataka

Tea, at the end of the day, is more than a drink, it is an emotion.

Thai Tea Panna Cotta

Ingredients

- Unsweetened oat milk: 1 1/2 cups
- Thai tea leaves*: 1 tbsp
- Pure maple syrup: 1 tbsp
- Agar agar powder*: 1 tsp
- Vanilla bean paste: 1 tsp
- Pinch of salt

Method: In a small pot over low heat, bring the milk and tea leaves to a boil. Lower the heat to a simmer and cook for 3 minutes. Then, remove the pan from the heat and let it steep for 30 minutes. Strain out the leaves. Bring the tea to a light simmer over medium-low heat, then add the maple syrup, agar agar powder, vanilla bean paste, and salt. Cook, whisking continuously, for 3 minutes to activate the agar. Divide the mixture between two 6-oz. ramekins and chill for 3 hours or overnight. To serve, gently invert the panna cotta onto a small plate or enjoy it straight from the ramekin.

Chai Custard

Method

In a pot, add milk, cream, tea powders, ginger and a tablespoon of brown sugar. Bring the mixture to a boil and reduce the heat. Simmer for 10 minutes to brew. Meanwhile, whisk the eggs, cornflour, vanilla and the remaining brown sugar until the mixture is smooth. Slowly pour the hot tea mix into the egg mixture, and keep whisking until all the chai mixture has been added to the egg mixture. Heat this custard mixture on low heat in a pot. Stirring constantly, cook the mixture until it thickens. The mixture should be thick enough. Pour the custard through a strainer. Fill ¾ of the glasses with the mix and leave them in the fridge to set for 2 hours. Serve with whipped cream and biscuits.

Ingredients

- Milk: 1/2 cup
- Whipping cream: 1/2 cup
- Tea powder: 1 tbsp
- Masala chai powder: 1 tsp
- Fresh Ginger: 1 tbsp
- Brown sugar: 1/4 cup
- Cornflour: 2 tbsp
- Egg: 1 whole
- Egg yolk : 1
- Vanilla : 1 tsp
- Garnish:
- Whipped cream
- Parle G Biscuits
- Star anise

Soul on a plate

RUBINATIONS
Rubi Chakravarti
Writer, actor and funny girl

THE beating of the drums, the 'dhak' as they call it in Bengal and the beautiful waft of the scented camphor, the sound of the bell (that the priest resolutely rings), the familiar smells and sounds of the pujo pandal evokes a deep sense of nostalgia in my aching heart which transports me back to Calcutta. There was something electrifying about the atmosphere. There was a sense of belonging and a sense of something bigger than oneself happening all around you. New clothes, unrestricted supply of traditional foods and sweets, the adoration of uncles and aunts, the shy looks that the youngsters gave each other, the dancing the joie de vivre that filled the season still makes my mature heart race. Basically, every 'pujo' was a community get together where the older people would have a chance to mingle, talk shop, show off their culinary skills and fix marriages! That is why the word 'para' or neighbourhood was used. Every 'para' set up their pandals, served 'bhog' (special food made especially for pujo) attended pujas and generally spent the day at the pandal wearing new clothes, laughing, talking, making arrangements for the 'maha-arati' and special cultural events. If you speak to any self-respecting 'Bong' about the festival, their eyes will light up as they delve into their memories.

Sabrina Dey and Joyadrita Chatterjee

I was born in namma ooru and my dad founded one of the leading defence establishments in the city. I believe there used to be a friendly competition between the 'Army para' and the Airforce para' as to who would have the grander celebration in this cantonment town, buzzing with immigrants who worked together to make a better India. As children I remember pandal-hopping (the two of them!) and we would have a friendly rivalry, trying to ferret out information as to what 'bhog' the opposite party would be serving (the highlight of the 'pujo') and if their entertainment programme was better. Even putting this down on paper brings a smile to my face!

But, as it always happens, the 'para' celebrations have given way to more commercial pandals, and the tight-knit neighbourhood has given way to 'the hoards'. Commercialisation is rampant as even the flowers to be given to the goddess have to be bought and the 'bhog' too is not free. I hate the fact that we need to hang around with tickets to partake in something which was once a family-type of celebration. Everything looks and feels like a tacky fairground. The pushing and the unfamiliarity frighten me and I usually step away, promising myself that there will be no next time.

Luckily, this year, we had ourselves a small and intimate celebration with only family and when my good friend Sabrina Dey, GM of ITC Windsor invited me to partake on homechef/consultant Joyadrita Chaterjee's lunch (which was a part of their ongoing festival), I accepted without a second thought. I can only say that the food was representative of the 'homes' of Bengal. None of that 'progressive' menu nonsense, but fresh ingredients, prepared with love and served with pride. Joyadrita's eyes sparkled as she reminisced about her how her mother's and aunt's recipes influenced her cuisine and it was fantastic to hear. Of course, Sabrina and I (true blue Bangalorean Bongs that we are) interspersed her conversation with our own special anecdotes of nostalgia.

May this season bring us all together in love and peace!

(The writer's views are personal)

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DECLARATION

I, MANJULA N W/o Late. R.V. Manjunath R/o: #124, Doddaballapur Main Road, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Rajanukunte, Bengaluru-560064, do hereby declare that the names i.e **R.V. MANJUNATH & MANJUNATHA V** both pertain to my husband only Vide Affidavit Dt: 03-10-2025 sworn to before Notary Public G.P. CHAYA. Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Indira Ojha w/o Radheshyam Ojha r/at No. 33,4th cross, Nagappa street, Malleswaram, Bangalore. previously known as Indra Ojha have changed my name **Indra Ojha to Indira Ojha** vide affidavit dated 29/9/25 sworn before notary M . S. Satish, Bangalore

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CHANGE OF NAME

I, **NAGARAJA DOMMASANDRA SHANKARAPPA (NEW NAME)** previously Called as NAGARAJA PAPANNA S/o Papanna alias Shankarappa, R/o Dommasandra Village, Anekal Taluk whose Date of Birth is 21-06-1965 is hereby declare that in my school records my name is mentioned as above. Now I have changed my name as **NAGARAJA DOMMASANDRA SHANKARAPPA.** Hence this affidavit to submit before competant authority sworn to before Notary C.N.Sreekanta Sastry on 27-09-25 at Anekal.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **NAVIN FHARNANDIS,** S/o. Baptist Fernandes, residing at #34B, New B.H.Road, Sagar, Shivamogga 577401, Karnataka State, today camping at Bengaluru, have changed my name to **NAVEEN FERNANDES** vide Affidavit Dated: 03/10/2025 sworn before Notary MEER HASSAN, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **J A BHAGYALAKSHMI** alias **A BHAGYALAKSHMI,** W/o H.K. Manjunatha, aged about 52 years, R/at No. 7, Bandappa Garde, 12th G Cross Main Road, Near C.M. National School, Muthyalanagar, Bengaluru-560054, do hereby declare that all the names i.e. **J A B H A G Y A L A K S H M I** a l i y a s **A BHAGYALAKSHMI, A BHAGYALAKSHMI, BHAGYALAKSHMI A** and **BHAGYALAKSHMI J A** are one and the same and refers to me only, henceforth I shall be known and called as **J A B H A G Y A L A K S H M I A L I Y A S A BHAGYALAKSHMI** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 30-09-2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **A. PRABHAKAR** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ALEX P VARGHESE,** S/o. late. PS Geevarghese, residing at A903, Arge UrbanBloom, Lily Block, 9th Floor, No.30/A, Ring Road, Industrial Suburb, 2nd Stage, Ward No.11, Peenya Industrial Area, Bengaluru 560022, have changed my name from **ALEX P VARUGHESE** to **ALEX P VARGHESE** vide Affidavit Dated:01/10/2025, sworn before Notary **A.R. MUNEER AHMED,** Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ASHWINI.N.** (Old Name), aged about 36 years, W/o. CHANDRASHEKAR.V., D/o. NAGARAJ, RESIDING AT NO.18, 12TH MAIN, 5TH BLOCK, HENNUR VILLAGE, BENGALURU-560043, KARNATAKA, declare that I have changed my name from **ASHWINI.N.** (Old Name) to **VEDA.N.** (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **VEDA.N.** (New Name) for all my personal, official & legal purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 03/10/2025 before Notary **B.N. GANGARAJU** at BENGALURU

CHANGE OF NAME

I, BALKHEES BEGUM, W/o. Siddique Hanif, R/at No. S-1, 3rd Floor, Spellbound Mon Reve Apartment, Hutchins Road, Cooke Town, Bengaluru-560084, have changed my name to **BALKHEES** vide affidavit dt:29.09.2025 before Notary K.V. Mani, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHANKAR KRISHNAPPA (NEW NAME)** Son of Krishnappa R/o Dommasandra, Anekal Taluk whose date of birth is 02-06-1973 previously called as **SHANKARAPPA KRISHNAPPA (OLD NAME)** is hereby declare that I have changed my name as **SHANKAR KRISHNAPPA.** Hence this affidavit to Submit before competant authority to rectify sworn to before Notary C.N. Sreekanta Sastry on 27-09-25 at Anekal.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ANUPAM MISHRA** W/o Durgesh Kumar Mishra, aged about 44 years, Residing at Melody Apartment D304 Mysore road Bangalore-39. My name **ANUPAM MISHRA** and **KUMARI ANUPAM** belong to the same person. vide affidavit Dated:21.07.2025 before Notary Ramachandrappa. C, Bangalore. Aadhar number:668530784614.

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CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Mrs. YASHODHA,** aged about 66 years, W/o Thimmareddy, residing at No.4, 9th Main Road, Brindavan Nagar, Mathikere, Bangalore-560054, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **YASHODA** to **YASHODHA** henceforth I shall be known and called as **YASHODHA** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 30/09/2025 sworn before Advocate and Notary **Smt. A. MANJULA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Mr. MOHAMMED MUSTHAQ,** S/o Mohammed Feroz, aged about 51 years, R/at No.129-2, ST Michel School Road, Gangamma Gudi, Bangalore North, Jalahalli, Bangalore-560 013, Karnataka, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **MOHAMMED MUSTHAK to MOHAMMED MUSTHAQ.** Vide affidavit dated: 30-09-2025, sworn before Notary Fahim Unnisa, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **(OLD NAME) KIRAN KUMAR,** residing at No. 204, 2nd Floor, V.H Apartment, 3rd Cross, Near KC Raju Hospital, CMR Layout, Lingarajapuram, Bengaluru 560084, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) KIRAN KUMAR** to **(NEW NAME) KIRAN KUMAR.J.B** vide affidavit dated 10.09.2025 sworn before Notary L.Gopalakrishna., Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, PADMASHRI GUNTHURGADAA VENKATA REDDY, W/o. Bhanu Shankar Mishra, R/at No.1/2715 Ward No.10 Vinayakam Road opposite Borewell N.R. Extension Chintamani Post, Chikkaballapur-563125, have changed my name to **PADMASHRI MISHRA** vide affidavit dt:03.10.2025 before Notary B.M. Chandrashekar, Bangalore.

A VISUALLY STUNNING EXPLORATION OF MYTH AND POWER

A SHARADHAA

WITH *Kantara* (2022), Rishab Shetty delivered one of Indian cinema's most unforgettable climaxes, where divinity seemed to descend on the screen to give us a memorable experience. Three years later, he returns with *Kantara: Chapter 1*, a prequel that digs into the roots of the saga. The film represents truths about rituals, fears, gods, and the people who carry them. Set 1,500 years ago, this prequel feels more like folklore shared among people sitting around a fire.

Once upon a time, there was a king named Rajashekara (Jayaram), who was haunted by the land of *Kantara* and the wrath of the Brahma Rakshasa. His son Kulashekara (Gulshan Devaiah) inherits his father's throne, but he doesn't possess his father's wisdom. Reckless and indulgent, he gets into trouble. Rajashekara's daughter Kanakavathi (Rukmini Vasanth) grows into a quiet strength, becoming one of the story's unexpected anchors. On the other side is Berme (Rishab Shetty), adopted by the tribal people of Eshwara Hoodhota in *Kantara*'s forest. He becomes the lens through which dynasties clash, jungles breathe, and curses unfold. His journey is not about destiny; it is shaped by experience, choices, and the burden of a land marked by belief.

Kantara: Chapter 1 unfolds like folklore. Warnings echo like ancestral whispers: do not enter the forest, do not disturb what you cannot understand. Kulashekara's arrogance ensures he ignores this advice. This story is not just about royalty versus tribes; it is about belief versus arrogance, myths versus human limits. Rishab builds this world with care. The Kadamba-era backdrop, with busy ports, spice markets, and trade routes influenced by Arab and Portuguese cultures, feels lived-in. Every drumbeat, chariot wheel, and coin connects to something larger.

Much of this atmosphere comes from Arvind Kashyap's cinematography. His work does more than capture images; it stays with you. Forests seem to breathe, shadows hint at danger, and fire blazes with energy. Every frame matters, especially the close-ups of Rishab's character that feel etched in stone. Vinesh Banglan and Dharani Gangeputra's production design grounds the story in a tangible reality. Chariots, weapons, and markets are richly detailed, supported by Pragathi Shetty's costumes. The songs, background score, and sound design by Ajaneesh Loknath—with tribal signals, chants, and rhythmic percussion—move with the film's flow. Visual effects appear only when needed, blending seamlessly. Hombale Films' production ensures both scale and richness.

The structure of *Kantara: Chapter 1* mirrors the first *Kantara*. The first half patiently builds its world and characters, reaching a powerful moment before the interval. The second half shifts into action, balancing sweeping battles with sudden, intimate moments where arrogance brings ruin. If the original climax involved divine possession, *Kantara: Chapter 1* spreads awe across multiple events: a tiger encounter, the Kumbhabhishekam ritual, and the eerie calm before war.

KANTARA: CHAPTER 1
Director: Rishab Shetty
Cast: Rishab Shetty, Rukmini Vasanth, Gulshan Devaiah, and Jayaram

RATING 3.5/5

Even amid myths, the film remains human. Berme's growing bond with Kanakavathi softens the intensity, while comic moments from Prakash Tumminad, Rakesh Poojary and others provide relief without breaking the spell but though occasionally they pull focus from the main plot.Characters feel archetypal yet fully realised—Berme's curiosity, Kulashekara's arrogance, Kanakavathi's compassion, and Rajashekara's weary wisdom. Each character exists as both a symbol and an individual.

Performances are strong. Rishab Shetty gives a layered portrayal. If his role as Shiva in *Kantara* was raw, which earned him a National award, Berme is more complex, torn between worldly struggle and divine undertones. Rukmini Vasanth impresses with poise and subtle strength, becoming a surprise element. Gulshan Devaiah embodies menace in Kulashekara, although the script gives him a typical antagonist role, much like characters such as Pramod Shetty and others. Jayaram as Rajashekara convincingly carries the weight of kingship and curses.

The film sometimes drags—Suresh Mallaiah's editing could be tighter—but the expansive narrative justifies its length. The action choreography by Arjun Master and Todor Lazarov is stunning, blending spectacle with primal energy. The opening chariot sequence is a masterclass in staging, while battle scenes resonate visually and audibly, each clash carrying the weight of history.

Comparisons with the original are unavoidable. If *Kantara* thrived on its emotional climax, *Kantara* Chapter 1 shines more in its scope than in depth. The finale is gripping but may not reach the same intensity as the divine possession. Instead, it explores myths, fears, and roots, touching on Guliga and Daiva. The last scene reminds us of the saying about gods manifesting in many forms to uphold Dharma. It offers explanations without oversimplification, enriching the viewer without overwhelming them. The language is simple, leaving us wondering if it was the same tone four centuries ago. Certain characters, like Prakash Tumminad, raise questions—are they standalone or connected to the first film?

By the end, what remains is not just a tale of a kingdom or a family. It is the story of the land itself; of gods who show up uninvited, of fears passed through generations, and of pride that topples empires. This is an origin myth: legends arise not only in temples but also in forests, markets, the cries of the oppressed, and the arrogance of kings.

Rishab has not just made a film; he has created a vibrant world. Viewed as folklore, history, or cinema, *Kantara: Chapter 1* carries the pulse of the soil, the murmur of faith, and the echo of myth. The well still holds sacred stories. With Rishab at its centre, drawing from history, folklore, and belief, *Kantara*, its forests, and its mystical echoes will continue to follow us like shadows we cannot shake off.

Serial actor Sangamesh steps into direction with *Galibilli Govinda*

CE FEATURES

GALIBILLI Govinda is a comedy that carries a social message, and **Sangamesh** has taken responsibility for the story, screenplay, dialogues, and direction for the first time Dr Sangamesh Upase, who gained fame on television as Compounder Govind and became a household name through the Silli Lalli serial, is now making his mark in cinema with *Galibilli Govinda*. Even while holding a government position, Sangamesh has remained committed to his artistic pursuits and entertainment projects.

Galibilli Govinda is a comedy that carries a social message, and Sangamesh has taken responsibility for the story, screenplay, dialogues, and direction for the first time. The film features his signature lines such as 'Naguvarige Maathra' and 'Arthavaaytu Bidi' as part of its core appeal.

The film blends contemporary social themes with humour, aiming to engage audiences while delivering meaningful entertainment. Song recordings have been completed with music by Palani D Senapati and choreography by Malur Srinivas. Produced under Universal Studio Vijayapura and Shri Sai Productions, the project is backed by Ambareesh Banajigere, Sandeep Rathod, and Madivalappa M Gogi. Filming is set to begin soon and the team is ready to roll.

Glad to explore my untapped potential in *Landlord*: Rachita Ram

From playing glamourous roles to girl-next-door characters to machete-wielding village woman in Jadeshaa K Hampi's next, the actor feels that it is time to redefine versatility with her roles

A SHARADHAA

RACHITA Ram, still riding high on the praise for her Tamil debut *Coolie*, is gearing up for an exciting lineup in Kannada: *Ayogya 2*, *Cult*, and *Landlord*. Birthday poster releases for each film showcase her range. "In *Ayogya 2*, I'm the girl next door, in Cult it's full glamour, but *Landlord* gives a completely new avatar," she says.

Her upcoming role as Chinamma in Jadeshaa K Hampi, opposite Vijay Kumar, is a striking departure. "This is an earthy village character, loud, holding a machete, walking through the village," she reveals, and adds, "After 12 years in the industry, why be monotonous? Heroes experiment, so why not us? I want to follow actors like Malashree and Shruti and break the notion of just being the glamour girl," Rachita explains.

She credits Coolie for changing her outlook. "I'm glad a role like this came my way. It showed me that deep, challenging characters are as thrilling as glamorous ones." She also recalls that actor Darshan and director Lokesh Kanagaraj encouraged her to take up the role in *Landlord*. "I had explained to Darshan about the character and how it has shades of his role in Kaatera. He told me the role would be challenging and I should take it. I also discussed it with director Lokesh Kanagaraj. I told him the character has an 18-year-old daughter, and he said such roles bring versatility and longevity to an actor's career and I should take it," she says.

Having completed ninety per cent of the shooting, Rachita shares that playing Chinamma pushed her limits. "I felt overstressed with the Kolar slang initially. Vijay Kumar was comfortable, but I had to push myself mentally and physically. By the second day, I found my grip, and director Jadeshaa was very happy with my performance. Somehow, he tapped into a side of my potential I hadn't explored," she shares.

Post-*Coolie*, Rachita is being approached with varied roles across industries. "Filmmakers want to see me in meaningful characters, even negative ones. *Landlord*'s motion poster might change perceptions again," she hints.

While Cult is glamorous and Ayogya 2 is relatable, Rachita has more surprises. "I'll be part of a women-centric film soon, and there's another project with an all-new team. Details will be revealed shortly," she signs off.

Peaky Blinders returns with sequel series

CE FEATURES

NETFLIX announced that a sequel series for *Peaky Blinders* is in the works. Steven Knight, the creator of the original series, will return to work on the drama, which is greenlit for two seasons. The series will be set in 1953 in Birmingham, United Kingdom, post-World War 2. After the city is reduced to ashes and dust, it is planned to be rebuilt better. The race to the reconstruction becomes a brutal competition, with the Shelby family right in the centre of the bloodshed.

Apart from being the creator of the series and serving as a writer, Knight also serves as an executive producer alongside the star of the original series, Cillian Murphy, Karen Wilson, Martin Haines, Jamie Glazebrook, Jo McClellan, Mona Qureshi, and Toby Bentley. Kudos and BBC are backing the series. The cast and release date are not yet announced.

That apart, a follow-up film, with Cillian Murphy returning as Thomas Shelby, is set between 1919 and 1934 in Birmingham, United Kingdom, and will chronicle the rise and "sometimes fall" of the Shelby family.

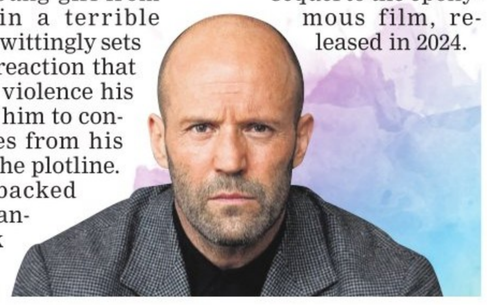
Jason Statham's *Shelter* gets a release date

CE FEATURES

JASON Statham's new film *Shelter*, directed by Ric Roman Waugh of *Greenland* fame, is all set for release in theatres on January 30, 2026, the makers announced recently.

Also starring Bodhi Rae Breathnach, Naomi Ackie, and Bill Nighy, the film revolves around a reclusive man named Mason, played by Statham. "But when he rescues a young girl from drowning in a terrible storm, he unwittingly sets off a chain reaction that soon brings violence his way, forcing him to confront choices from his past," read the plotline. *Shelter* is backed under the banners Black Bear, Punch Palace Pictures, CineMachine, and Stampede Ventures. The film is distributed worldwide by Amazon, MGM Studios, and produced and financed by Miramax. Producers include Statham through his Punch Palace Productions banner, Chris Long for Longshot Productions, and Wimmer.

Besides *Shelter*, Statham will also feature in The *Beekeeper 2*. Directed by Timo Tjahjanto and written by Kurt Wimmer, the film is a sequel to the eponymous film, released in 2024.



CHARLIE COX JOINS *SYNTHETIC*

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CHARLIE Cox and Haley Bennett are headlining the cast of *Synthetic*. Cox was recently seen as the titular character in Daredevil: Born Again, which will return for a second season. Ridge has also written the story for the film, which was adapted into a screenplay by Jackson Lanzig and Collin Kelly. Eric Binns and Robert Ogden Barnum are producing the film. Amanda Marshall, Jamie Wollrab, and Veronica Radaelli are serving as executive producers for the film. House of Juno and Space Pilot Media are backing the film.

The rest of the cast of *Synthetic* includes Oscar nominee Barkhad Abdi, Lovie Simone, Spenser Granese, and Jonathan Silverman. The film recently completed production in Kentucky, USA.

The film follows the story of a soldier whose solace in existence is disrupted by an escaped female android. *Synthetic* would mark Cox's reentry into films after seven years, with his previous full-fledged role coming in King of Thieves (2018), helmed by James Marsh. He also made a cameo appearance as Matt Murdock/Daredevil in the 2021 film Spider-Man: No Way Home.